

THREATENING WAR CLOUDS HOVERING OVER THE REVOLT STRICKEN EMPIRE.

RUSSIAN BEAR'S WILFUL VISAGE

Frowns on the Sultan

And the Murder of the Russian Consul May Yet Be Avenged.

Interior Revolt More Serious

And Additional Troubles From Without Make the Situation a Very Critical One for Abdul Hamid---Italian Warships Ordered to Macedonian Waters.

Constantinople Turkey Aug 18—The Russian squadron is expected this afternoon. It will anchor in the Bay of Mlad off the coast of European Turkey between Purgess and the entrance of the Bosphorus eight miles from the latter. The attitude of indifference hitherto assumed by the Turkish officials towards Russia's action is giving way to one of marked concern. The Porte fears that Russia contemplates making still more important demands than contained in the recent note of M. Zinovieff. The Russian ambassador such as the appointment of a Christian governor general of Macedonia. This idea however does not find support in diplomatic quarters where the conviction prevails that Russia is working in full agreement with Austria. No difficulty is anticipated on the part of Turkey to the acceptance of the Russian demands with the possible exception of the appointment of European officers to command the gendarmes. This is likely to arouse opposition and it is thought that Russian anticipation thereof led to the despatch of the squadron the presence of which was hardly required to enforce a fulfillment of the other terms.

DEMANDS

Of Russia Formally Presented at Yildiz Palace Yesterday.

Constantinople Aug 19—The Russian demands on Turkey growing out of the recent murder of the Russian consul at Monastir M. Rostkovski, were formally presented at the Yildiz palace yesterday.

Notwithstanding the warning which Russia addressed to the Bulgarian government it is generally believed that the Russian naval demonstration in Turkish waters will dangerously encourage the Macedonians who it is asserted will interpret Russia's action as being the first step towards intervention in their behalf. The insubordination of the Turkish troops is regarded as being one of the greatest dangers of the present Balkan crisis. The lack of discipline among the soldiers is marked. It is found necessary to humor them in order to prevent conflicts between the soldiers and their officers. For instance a regiment while on the way from Uskub to Monastir demanded that the train be stopped at Salonica, for twelve hours instead of for the scheduled half hour so that the soldiers might amuse themselves in the town. After futile endeavors to prevail upon the men to allow the train to proceed the officers were obliged to grant their demand. The killing of Bulgarian workmen who were repairing the railroad track near Uskub is another instance of the insubordination of the Turkish troops. Details of the affairs show that a train load of Turkish soldiers, soon after leaving the station at Uskub, not only fired on and killed three Bulgarians, who were at work on the road and left their bodies lying on the line, but some of the soldiers left the train and pursued five other Bulgarian workmen to a neighboring station.

JOINT

Naval Action Will More Than Likely Be the Outcome.

Paris, Aug 19—It was learned in official quarters today that the action of Russia in ordering a naval fleet into Turkish waters may be speedily followed by important naval action on the part of the powers. The final de-

termination will depend upon the fleet of France, and Austria will certainly co-operate, and it is probably that the fleets of all the European powers having Turkish interests except possibly Germany, which throughout has not favored taking energetic steps against Turkey, will take part in the demonstration.

In the meantime the Russian squadron will not proceed to Constantinople as has been reported, but will rendezvous off a small point of the village of Adrianople, above the entrance of the Bosphorus. For the present time this squadron has no orders to assume an aggressive course. Its action will depend on Turkey's fulfillment of the terms of Russia's final demands in connection with the assassination of consul Rostkovski. The punishment of a number of the parties implicated is not considered to be full compliance with the terms of the demands, which include an adequate indemnity. Besides the Rostkovski incident the proposed joint naval action before Salonica is due to the earnest representations of the foreign consuls at Salonica who set forth that their lives are in danger.

The first representation on the subject reaches the French authorities several weeks ago and since then other consuls have made similar representations. The assassination of M. Rostkovski is given such emphasis to the statement of the consuls that consideration of a joint naval demonstration of sufficient strength to impress Turkey with the necessity for taking decisive action looking to the maintenance of peace in Macedonia is now in progress. The exchanges of communications have shown that Russia and Austria continue to co-operate fully in the action taken toward Turkey.

Bomb Outrage Reported.
Vienna Aug 19—A telegram from Boris Sarafoff the active leader of the Macedonian insurgents to the management of the Oriental railroad, is published here. Sarafoff says that the general staff of the revolutionary committee of Macedonia and Adrianople announces that in consequence of the rising of the Christian population of Macedonia for liberation from Turkish rule they will necessarily have to commit outrages on railways. He begs the management "from humane considerations to accept no passengers in order that there may be no unnecessary sacrifices to deplore." Another bomb outrage is reported to have occurred at Philippopolis. A bomb was thrown into the house of a merchant there and three persons were killed.

ITALIAN

Interests at Salonica Are Menaced, and Warships Are Sent.

London, Aug 19—The Italian ambassador here today, received a despatch from Rome announcing that an Italian squadron had been ordered to Macedonian waters, to "watch events." No explanation of the reasons underlying the orders and the embassy officials were unable to say whether it was a result of Russia sending a squadron to Turkish waters. It was regarded as probable that the foreign office at Rome had received advices showing that Italian interests, which are important at Salonica, and in its neighborhood, are menaced and that it was deemed wise to have a strong force handy to convince the Turks of the inadvisability in effecting such interest by any hostile action. It was added that the presence of the Italian fleet would also deter the Turks from committing outrages on inoffensive Christians.

As the result of inquiries made at the various embassies in official circles here, the Associated Press is able to make an authoritative statement, regarding the international situation, as affected by the troubles in Macedonia. Turkey regards the action of Russia and Austria in compelling the Porte to institute reforms, as an intervention, which to quote a high Turkish official, "has already had a effect."

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PROMINENT Couple Wedded by Rev. Berry Last Night.

Mr. Julius C. Musser, a prominent business man, and Miss Sarah Dickerson, of 1018 east High street, who has been a popular teacher in the public schools, were united in marriage last night, when they went to the home of Rev. Arkison Berry, and were united in marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Musser will be at home to their friends, at the southwest corner of Spring and Elizabeth streets.

DANGEROUS CHARACTER

Attacked a Cincinnati Detective, Knocked Him Down, and Was Killed by a Shot.

Cincinnati Aug 19—Detective Charles M. Grimsley, of the police force today shot and killed James Mitchell, in the western portion of the city. Mitchell had assaulted Grimsley and knocked him down, whereupon the detective drew his revolver and shot him dead. Mitchell was known to the police as a dangerous character.

POLICE ARE STILL

Without Tangible Clue to Murderer of Four Year Old Boy.

Detective Department Is Satisfied That Suspect Arrested Last Night Is Not Guilty.

Full Report on Similar Crime Has Been Forwarded.

Detroit Mich. Aug 19—The police are today as far from a solution of the terrible murder of little four year old Alphonse Williams as they were when the mutilated body was found, yesterday. Chas. Edwards, the suspected man was placed under arrest last night and who gives his residence as Bangor, Me. is still detained but Lieut. Sadler, of the detective department said today he was satisfied that Edwards is not guilty of the crime. The local officers telegraphed last night to the police of Rockford Ill., asking for a positive description of the killing of the newboy of that city, several weeks ago which bears so much resemblance to the crime here. In reply the Rockford chief of police wired that he had already written and mailed a full history of the case and a description of the mutilation of the body. The entire river front in the vicinity of the lot where the body was found has been searched by detectives and newspaper men without finding the slightest trace of blood and no one can be found in the neighborhood who saw the murdered lad during the evening. The movements of Alphonse after he left his

little sister near their home Monday afternoon are still a mystery. The entire detective department is working on the case today. The detectives are bending every energy today toward locating the place where the murder was committed. When found the body was bloodless yet there was no blood in the vicinity nor on his body indicating that the crime was committed elsewhere and the body washed before being placed among the molding boxes. Every conceivable place near the lot where the body was found is being searched and box cars that were standing on nearby tracks Monday night will be located and carefully examined. One fact developed this forenoon which may be of importance. The Walters family which lives on Wight street two blocks from the spot where the body was found reported having seen a man leading a boy, dressed as the dead lad was, by the hand along Wight street Monday afternoon. He was seen twice by different members of the family. The detectives office reported at noon that they were still without a tangible clue.

NOT BUSTED, JUST TIGHT

For Ready Money Is Answer of Steel Company to Plaintiffs.

Lancaster Pa. Aug 19—The answer to the bill in equity filed here on last Thursday against the Susquehanna Iron and Steel Co. was recorded today. It denies that a large portion of the company's merchandise and quick assets were shown by the treasurer's report to be pledged to secure bills payable and accounts amounting to \$277,064, but admits that since the report was made, a loan has been secured and some of the company's manufactured product and quick assets pledged as collateral, but that the transaction does not interfere with the company's business. It is

stated that since its incorporation in 1899 the company has paid dividends amounting to \$495,000 and at no time failed to pay a dividend except for the six months ending June 30 last which was due to strike conditions and the repudiation of contracts. The business for the year amounted to \$2,000,000 with a deficit of only \$16,000, under adverse circumstances. In admitting the depreciation of the stock, from \$8 to 107 per share, it is claimed the company is solvent nevertheless, and can meet and provide for its current indebtedness and successfully conduct the business.

VETERANS ON PARADE.

Grand Pageant of the G. A. R. Witnessed in 'Frisco Today.

National Encampment Starts Out With the Promise of Being One of the Greatest Ever Held by the Organization Since Its Formation.

San Francisco Cal. Aug 19—With receptions and entertainments of all kinds the visiting members of the G. A. R. are having a most enjoyable time. The California posts provided fruits and flowers in abundance and there is open house in all the local headquarters. Train after train still adds its complement of the veterans already marshalled here and the encampment now begins to assume the proportions of the largest ever held in the history of the organization. The arrivals now are computed at 21,000 persons from eastern points with fully 35,000 persons in addition from California points. For the next few days excursions have been arranged to carry the visiting veterans to different points of interest in the interior and all the leading posts have made arrangements to give them an appropriate reception.

PROUDLY

They Marched With Battleflags Waving Above the Swaying Ranks.

San Francisco Aug 19—The parade today of the veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic in this city will be long remembered by the thousands of people who packed the streets along the line of march to witness it. Not a few of them recognized that for them this means the passing of the heroes of many a bloody struggle in defense of the union for all time in a collective body so far as this city is concerned. Devoid of all the panoply of the warlike host which marched in all the pride of strength and youth in yesterday's parade there was something pathetic in the thinned out ranks of the veterans who marched today which touched the hearts of all who saw them bowed with the weight of years worn out and weary but animated by the fires of an unquenched spirit this remnant of a mighty host which had carved out victory for the republic on the hardest fought battlefields the world has ever known, marched proudly along the last of an unconquered band of heroes. They looked the part they had played as makers of history in this country of their birth, or adopting, as the case might be. Proudly they marched with the battleflags waving above the swaying ranks—flags which bore the marks of shot and steel in many a fierce fray, commanders together now as they were then. With military precision these old soldiers of Antietam, Vicksburg, the Wilderness, Gettysburg and Appomattox, swung into line at the appointed hour ready for the command to march. Headed by the detachment from Illinois command by Benson Wood, the Grand Army detachments appeared in full muster at their appointed stations ready to move with the main column which started punctually at 10 o'clock on the route of march. The mounted staff of department commanders and all the mounted escorts were formed into platoons of eight files front, the distance being regulated at four paces. This formation was well maintained all through the parade and the same can be said of the different posts which were paraded some sixteen paces apart with about double that distance between the detachments. A platoon of police led the column, commanded by Chief Wilmann and followed by the drum corps of the National Association of Civil War musicians. Next in line was Chief Marshall Edward S. Solomon.

and his staff. The personal escort of commander in chief, Stewart was composed of Geo. H. Thomas Post, No. 2 department of California, A. D. Cutler commanding. Accompanying the commander in chief was Quartermaster General Burrows, Judge Advocate Gen. Beers, Adjutant Gen. John W. Schall, Chaplain-in-Chief Shacy and Inspector Gen. Walsh with members of the executive committee. The several departments of the Grand Army followed with as mentioned before the department of Illinois, in the van. Following came Pennsylvania, commanded by Edwin Walton, then Ohio Commander Yengling, Connecticut Commander Bulkley, Massachusetts, Commander Judd, New Jersey Commander Long, Maine, Commander Chamberlain, Rhode Island Commander Hudson, New Hampshire, Commander Parker, Potomac Commander Kimball, Virginia and North Carolina, Commander Haas, Maryland, Commander Stahl, Nebraska Commander Estill, Michigan Commander Van Realt, Iowa, Commander Raymond, Indiana, Commander Grunels, Colorado and Wyoming Commander Vaughn, Kansas, Commander Smith, Delaware, Commander Baugh, Minnesota, Commander Mahen, Missouri, Commander Sterel, Oregon, Commander Turner, Kentucky, Commander Forlee, West Virginia, Commander Moore, South Dakota, Commander Rose, Washington and Alaska, Commander Kavanaugh, Arkansas, Commander Avery, New Mexico, Commander Edwards, Utah, Commander Clark, Tennessee, Commander Patton, Louisiana and Mississippi, Commander Keating, Florida, Commander Chase, Texas, Commander Belton, Idaho, Commander Whitler, Georgia, Commander Fitzgerald, Alabama, Commander Allison, North Dakota, Commander Rowe, Oklahoma, Commander Green, Indian Territory, Commander Rose, California and Nevada, under command of Major Gen. W. R. Shafter, brought up the rear. A distinguished trio rode at the head of the Wisconsin division. They were Gen. MacArthur, commander of the department of the Pacific, Gen. Cobb and Col. Lyon, all three being atired in civilian clothing. All three of these general officers are from Wisconsin and all have won national renown. General MacArthur was recognized all along the line of march and was loudly cheered as he passed with the column. Six survivors of the heroic Knapp's Pennsylvania battery of light artillery joined in the line and were warmly greeted. This is the remnant of the one hundred and thirty men of this hard fighting regiment who were murthered Confederate soldiers in the South.

The administration by the Board of Pension laws that for so many years had proven so vexatious and unsatisfactory seems to have been adjusted to a degree of satisfaction. I believe the present commissioner is earnestly endeavoring to discharge the duties of his high and important office honestly, liberally and justly, and yet he is not able to satisfy the many who feel and assert that the government has not dealt, and is not dealing justly with them. The complaints are not so numerous or so vigorous as in the recent past, and yet they are sufficient to warrant our earnest and careful attention and consideration.

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DIRECTORY

Tells How Columbus Almost Lost Capitol.

Mr. A. D. Anderson, of the Columbus Carriage Co., furnishes the citizen with a copy of the "Columbus Business Directory for 1843-44," which contains among many other interesting things an account of the very close shave Columbus made in not losing the state capital some 60 years ago.

In fact, at the time the directory was published, it was pretty generally admitted that it had lost the capital for good and all.

In 1838 the legislature passed an act providing for the erection of a new state house, the present one, on the public square and Joseph Ridgeway, Jr. of Columbus, Wm. A. Adams, of Zanesville and Wm. B. Van Hook, of Butler county, were selected under it, as commissioners to carry the law into effect.

In the spring of 1839 work was begun with Mr. Van Hook as superintendent of construction, and the necessary appropriation bills to carry on the work were enacted.

In February, 1840, Wm. B. Lloyd, a member of the house from Cuyahoga county, was expelled on charges seriously reflecting on his honesty. There seems to have been enough partisanship in the charges to raise a question as to his guilt, and 63 citizens of Columbus including nearly every leading citizen, signed a paper expressing their confidence in Mr. Lloyd's integrity.

This put the future of Columbus in imminent jeopardy. The "certificate" having been published, the members of the legislature took offense thereat. So bitter was the feeling that Representative Flood introduced a bill to repeal the act providing for the erection of the new state house, which was passed and took effect March 10, 1840. "And thus," said the mournful directory maker, "ended the contemplated edifice that was to have been an ornament, not only to Columbus, but to the state of Ohio."

For three or four years work on the state house was suspended, and a long series of attempts were made in the legislature to remove the state capital to Lancaster, Chillicothe or to some other point. The friends of Columbus insisted that the act of Jan. 23, 1841, fixed the capital "permanently" in this city, hence it could not be removed.

Its opponents pointed out that the act provided that the capital should be located at Columbus "permanently" until May 1, 1840, and from thence until otherwise provided by law. Hence, the time had come when the legislature had the power and authority to move it.

In 1843 a joint resolution was introduced.

To withstand excessive heat the system must be fortified with sufficient vital force to repel the insidious power of the sun.

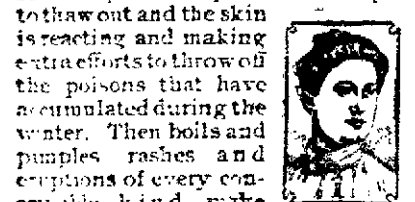
Those who are easily overcome, who feel the heat oppressive, should insure against its fatalities by building a fund of vitality such as Hagee's Cordial of Cod Liver Oil alone can build.

It generates vitality; invigorates and strengthens every tissue and nerve in the body; replenishes impoverished blood and furnishes sustaining power that will withstand both heat and bodily wear. Pleasant to take. Contains no grease—no fishy flavor.

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SKIN DISEASES THE OUTCROPPING OF BAD BLOOD

And while not always painful are aggravating beyond expression. With few exceptions they are worse in spring and summer when the system begins to thaw out and the skin is reacting and making extra efforts to throw off the poisons that have accumulated during the winter. Then boils and pimples, rashes and eruptions of every conceivable kind make their appearance, and it remains and tetter, the twin terrors of skin diseases—Nettle-rash, Poison Oak and Ivy, and such other skin troubles as usually remain quiet during cold weather, break out afresh to torment and distract by their fearful burning, itching and stinging. A course of S. S. S. now will purify and enrich the blood, reinforce and tone up the general system and stimulate the sluggish circulation, thus warding off the diseases common to spring and summer. The skin, with good blood to nourish it, remains smooth and soft and free of all disfiguring eruptions.



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decided making for sealed proposals for a site suitable for permanent seat of government to be addressed to and opened by the next general assembly. The resolutions were agreed to in the senate, by a vote of 18 to 16, but failed in the house 54 to 29. "The next general assembly instead of opening sealed proposals, re-enacted the act to build the present state house. But the people of Columbus paid a great deal of deference to the statesmen for a decade or two afterwards. Today the statesmen are not so thin-skinned.

The total number of names in the directory for 1843-1844 was 995, which at the present ratio of counting would have given a population of less than 5000 at that time. It was considerably more, however. The official census for 1840, gave the city a total population of 6084, of whom 5475 were white and 573 were colored. This is not far from the present proportion between the two races. The proportion between the sexes in 1840 was: Males 3351, females 2731, excess of males 620. The proportion of the sexes has changed since then, and now, the females are in excess of the males by a very slight percentage.

In 1843, the city had the enormous debt of \$22,000, payable two and four years from date. S. E. Wright was mayor and George Riordan marshal in 1843. Councilmen, First ward, Joseph Ridgeway, Jr., David Evans, John Taylor, W. A. Galt; Second, R. W. McCoy, Robert Russell, Wm. Armstrong, Joseph N. Glozier; Third, A. G. Hibbs, James Bryden, Wm. Harrison, A. P. Stone.

Mysterious Circumstance. One was pale and sallow and the other fresh and rosy. Whence the difference? She who is blushing with health uses Dr. King's New Life Pills to maintain it. By gently arousing the lazy organs they compel good digestion and head off constipation. Try them. Only 25c, at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, corner Main and North streets.

A Little Off. A local artist of note tells in the Philadelphia Ledger, an amusing story of his visit to an insane asylum in that state. Spending as much time as he could visiting an inmate, he started down the stairs on his way to catch the train back to the city.

At the foot of the stairs stood a large clock. Taking out his watch to compare the time, he found there was a difference of several minutes. Turning to the doorkeeper, a young Irishman, he inquired if the clock was right.

"Right," said the doorkeeper. "Do you think it would be here if it was right?"

Step Colds. When you feel one coming on by taking Krause's Cold Cure. Prepared in convenient capsules that cure while you work. Price 25 cents. Sold by W. M. Melville.

A Gentle Hint. "I trust, Mr. Brown," said a German town young lady to the young man who was about to depart, "that you will spend one more evening with us before we move into our new house."

"Delighted, I assure you," replied the young man, beaming with satisfaction. "By the way, when do you expect to move?"

"I am not positive as to the exact date," she answered, "but the workmen began excavating for the foundation yesterday, and we expect, if the work goes on without interruption, to be able to move in about 18 months."—Philadelphia Ledger.

HISTORIC FT. McHENRY WILL BE ABANDONED.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 19.—Historic Ft. McHenry, is to be abandoned as headquarters of the United States troops, in this state, according to orders received from the secretary of war. Lieut. Col. Thorpe has been appointed district commander of the defense at Baltimore, and the headquarters are changed to the new Ft. Howard, at North Point, another site that figured in the revolution.

As a Laxative

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is with out an equal. It will not grip or shock the system, and make you feel sick all over like most cathartics do, but has a firm and gentle effect on the constipated bowels, stimulating and assisting them in the proper performance of their functions. Then an occasional dose is all that is needed to keep the bowels regular and the stomach strong. A trial will convince you of its value.

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

LITTLE HOPE FOR OIL IN GEORGIA.

During the spring of the present year, Mr. T. W. Vaughan, of the United States Geological Survey, made a trip into Georgia for the purpose of looking into the probabilities of the occurrence of petroleum in that state. One of the localities visited by him was the vicinity of Albany, Dougherty county.

During the preceding year (1902) Mr. Vaughan spent a month in making a geological reconnaissance from the edge of the crystalline rocks, near Macon, as far south as Albany. The object of his work was to ascertain whether the geological conditions gave any indication of the occurrence of petroleum. The geology is extremely simple, and there were no indications of the geologic structure usually associated with oil pools. There was an entire absence of any of the surface manifestations in the way of gas, oil, sulphur, etc., which are ordinary accompaniments of oil in other regions. Mr. Vaughan is of the opinion, therefore, that no oil will be found in western Georgia in the strip of country extending from Macon through Montezuma, Americus, and Albany, that is from Bibb county through Crawford, Houston, Macon, Dooly, Sumter, Lee, and Dougherty counties.

COMFORTING WORDS.

Many a Lima Household Will Find Them So.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed; to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders, is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. To tell how this great change can be brought about, will prove comforting words to hundreds of Lima readers.

"Mrs. M. Perkins, of 319 Kibby street, says: 'There was a heavy dull pain across my loins, particularly over the left kidney, and in my side. The secretions from the kidneys became irregular, distressing and annoying. I used different remedies, but did not succeed in getting anything to remove the trouble until I learned of Doan's Kidney Pills, and went to Melville's drug store, and procured a box. I was benefited almost immediately, and was soon thoroughly relieved of the trouble.'"

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c per box. Foster-McBreen Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

SIXTY THOUSAND RESUMED THEIR WORK.

Philadelphia, Aug. 19.—It is estimated that between 60,000 and 70,000 textile strikers, principally operatives in the rug branch, resumed work today. The manufacturers made no concessions. The strike was inaugurated eleven weeks ago, and of the original 60,000 strikers, but 10,000 remain out. Many of the idle hands are dyers and it is said that if they continue to remain firm, they may compel some of the mills to close because of the lack of dyestuffs.

A Physician Healed.

Dr. George Ewing, a practicing physician of Smith's Grove, Ky., for over thirty years, writes his personal experience with Foley's Kidney Cure: "For years I had been greatly bothered with kidney and bladder trouble and enlarged prostate gland. I used everything known to the profession without relief, until I commenced to use Foley's Kidney Cure. After taking three bottles I was entirely relieved and cured. I prescribe it now daily in my practice, and heartily recommend its use to all physicians for such troubles. I have prescribed it in hundreds of cases with perfect success."

DIDN'T TAKE PLACE

QUITE AN TIME.

Georgetown, Ky., Aug. 19.—Robert Nokes, who three years ago in the first trial of Caleb Powers, was a sensational witness, appeared as witness for the Commonwealth. He was examined at considerable length. The witness says arrangements had been made to kill Goebel on January 25, 1900, but they then miscarried. The witness started to inform Goebel but was interrupted. The examination was being continued when the court took a recess.

EX-PRISONERS HAVE CHOSEN

Officers for Coming Year From Among Diminishing List of Survivors.

San Francisco, Aug. 19.—The National Association of Union Ex-prisoners of war has elected officers for the ensuing year as follows:

National commander, James Walker (re-elected), national senior vice commander, Clinton T. Hull of San Francisco; national junior vice commander, John T. Klesane of Ohio; national chaplain, John S. Ferguson of Keokuk, Iowa; historian, Gen. Harry White of Pennsylvania; quartermaster, Stephen M. Long of East Orange, N. J.; executive committee, Go. A. T. Bliss of Michigan; O. A. Parsons of Penna.; Charles G. Davis of Boston and Chas. S. Fisher of Maine. Berdan's sharpshooters, elected the following officers: S. G. James of Centerville, Ia., president to succeed R. W. Taylor, who is ill at his home in Washington; F. D. Sweeter of Brentwood, California, vice president; A. R. Barrett of Philadelphia, secretary and treasurer (re-elected).

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Save the Signature. *Cast H. H. H. H. H.* TURKEYS HAVE SENSE.

"People generally think turkeys have the least sense of all the domestic fowls," said Frank Wilkinson, a Virginia farmer, the other day, "but I've got some that seem to have more gray matter than a great many human beings I know."

"One night a short time ago, my wife and I, and some visitors were out driving in the evening. As I was putting up the horses after returning home, I noticed my turkeys were not roosting as usual in the big buttonwood tree by the barn. Instead they were perched on the fenceposts and in the limbs of other trees."

"It struck me as mighty funny, as turkeys on the place had roosted in that tree ever since I could remember. I mentioned it to my wife when I went to the house, and she said she had noticed it when we drove in and thought it peculiar."

"That night, about midnight, a hard rain and wind storm came up, and the old buttonwood blew down. Now, how did those turkeys know that tree was doomed? At sundown, there was no sign of a storm, and the buttonwood tree was fully fifty years old and apparently as staunch as ever. I tell you I've had great respect for the judgment of turkeys since then."—Chicago Chronicle.

Queer Superstitions.

The following are some curious superstitions that are still extant among English-speaking people:

If you kill frogs your cows will "go dry."

Tickling a baby will cause the child to stutter.

To thank a person for combing your hair will bring bad luck.

To kill a ghost it must be shot with a bullet made of silver coin.

To dream of a live snake means enemies at large; of a dead snake, enemies dead or powerless.

To dream of unbroken eggs signifies trouble to come, if the eggs are broken, the trouble is past.

If you boast of your good health, strike wood immediately with your fist, or you will become ill.

To allow a child to look into a mirror before it is a month old, will cause it to have trouble in teething.

A child will have a nature and disposition similar to those of the person who first takes it out of doors.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Save the Signature. *Cast H. H. H. H. H.* ELEVATOR BUILDING BURNED IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—The Grand Crossing Elevator Co.'s building at Grand Crossing was destroyed by fire, last night, the loss being \$60,000; insurance \$40,000. While on the way to the fire, an engine was overturned and Lieut. Dennis Moss, was severely injured. Fireman John Brockman and Morris O'Connor, were bruised. The fire is said to have started from heated machinery.

WRIGHT'S CELERY TEA

For Headaches, Stomach Troubles, Indigestion, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, etc. It is a safe, pure, and healthy remedy for all ailments of the system. Sold by all druggists and by mail. Write for free trial.

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WHAT BRANDING MEANS.

How the Horse Feels During the Branding Process.

Now, most steers and all horses object to the branding process, says Sewell Ford in "Horse News." Even the spiritless little Indian ponies, accustomed to many ingenious kinds of abuse, rebel at this. A meek-eyed mule, on whom humility rests as an all covering robe, must be properly roped before submitting.

In branding they first get a rope over your neck and shut off your wind. Then they trip your feet by roping your fore legs while you are on the jump. This brings you down hard and with much abruptness. A cowboy sits on your head while others pin you to the ground from various vantage points. Next some one holds a red-hot iron on your rump until it has sunk deep into your skin. That is branding.

The burn of a branding iron is supposed to heal almost immediately. (Cowboys will tell you that a horse is always more frightened than hurt during the operation and that the day after he feels none the worse. All this you need not credit. A burn is a burn, whether made purposely with a branding iron or by accident in any other way. The scorched flesh puckers and smart. It hurts every time a leg is moved. It seems as if a thousand needles were playing a tattoo on the exposed surface.

Neither is this the worst of the business. To a high strung animal the roping, throwing and burning are a tremendous nervous shock. For days after branding a horse will jump and start, quivering with expectant agony, at the slightest cause.

A Life Saving Order.

Many years ago the American warship Delaware came near foundering off the coast of Sardinia while luffing through a heavy squall during a morning watch. The "unauthorized letting go of the fore sheet" alone saved the ship from going down with 1,100 souls on board. The first lieutenant, afterward Commodore Thomas W. Wyman, with difficult climbing succeeded in reaching the quarter deck, where, snatching the trumpet from the officer in charge, his first order, given in a voice heard distinctly fore and aft, was "Keep clear of the paint work!" This command to hundreds of human beings packed in the lee scuppers like sardines in a box instantly restored them to order and prevented a panic, they naturally feeling that if at such a time, with a line of battle ship on her beam ends, clean paint work was of paramount importance their condition could not be a serious one.

Origin of "Canard."

Here is a newspaper derivation of the word "canard." A canard means, in French, a duck; in English it has come to mean a hoax or fabricated newspaper story. Its origin is amusing. Many years ago a French journalist contributed to the French press an experiment of which he declared himself to have been the author. Twenty ducks were placed together, and one of them, having been cut up into very small pieces, was glutiously gobbled up by the other nineteen. Another bird was then sacrificed for the remainder and so on until one duck was left, which thus contained in its inside the other nineteen! This the journalist ate. The story caught on and was copied into all the newspapers of Europe. And thus the "canard" became immortalized.

The Eyes of the Musk Ox.

The skull of the bull musk ox is remarkable for the development of the eye orbits, which project sufficiently beyond the plane of the frontal bones to compensate for the interruption the horns would otherwise make in the range of vision. The musk ox, however, does not seem to rely greatly on keenness of sight, far less on acuteness of hearing, for the ears are of small dimensions and are completely covered by the heavy growth of fur about them. The organs of scent are evidently more highly developed, and they exact of the hunter his greatest cunning.

Safe From Poisonous Serpents.

A physician, who spent some time in the countries bordering on the gulf of Mexico, found a curious body of men among the natives called curados de calebra, or the safe from vipers. Having been inoculated with the poison of the serpents they were proof against their venomous bites. The inoculation was made with the venom tooth of a viper and the bulb of a native plant called mano del sapo (toad's hand). The preventive inoculation has been an old custom among the natives of that region.

A Suggested Cure.

"Your son," said the phrenologist to the anxious parents, "will become a poet some day."

Here the father interrupted with an air of deep concern. "But don't you think we could cure him now if we could quack the poetical bump with a sledgehammer or something like that?"

A Disgrace to His Race.

"Will I go round an' shake hands with th' prizefighter?" he repeated. "Niver! He's an Irishman an' a disgrace to his native land; no hiss."

"How is that?"

"He won't fight iscept f'r money."—Chicago Post.

Land Poor.

Hassell—It's strange you're so hard up, old man. I thought you owned half of Swampthrust and had lots to sell. Haddist—I have, but what I want is lots to eat.—Town and Country.

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The chorus is one of rare loveliness and what is more, is distinctly a slugging chorus. The original scenery and light effects used in the New York production of "Hoity Toity" at Weber and Field's cozy little Broadway theatre in New York, will be seen in this production; and no expense has been spared in making this, what the New York press unanimously conceded it to be, the greatest musical "hit" on Broadway in a decade. Lima is one of the few one night stands to get "Hoity Toity" this season.

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QUIET

Month of August
Makes Its
Presence Felt.

All Quiet Across the
River,

Except for Going and Coming
of Tourists and Ex-
cursionists.

Large Party of Lima People Left
This Morning to Attend the
Uly Reunion in Knox
County Tomorrow.

Though August is not here with its
usual hot, sultry weather, it has
brought the usual dullness in trade and
social life. Excursions, family re-
unions and Sunday school picnics are
the order of the day on the south side,
with only a little more dust to make
the conditions ideal.

This morning a large party from
Lima and vicinity left over the Erie
to attend the 9th annual reunion of the
Uly family, to be held tomorrow near
Fulton, Knox county, Ohio. Many of
our readers will remember that this
family, with its many connections
living in and about Lima, held its re-
union here last year. The family is
very large and is pretty well scat-
tered, but the larger percent of them are
in the neighborhood of Fulton, along
the Ohio Central lines. It is expected
that three or four hundred will be
present at the reunion tomorrow,
many from Pennsylvania and farther
east, while quite a number are ex-
pected from far away California.

Among those who went from this
city are Len Crumrine and wife and
Richard Luck and wife. George
Spees and wife, of Unionport, also
went with the Lima crowd.

A large party also left over the
Lake Erie and Western at 8 o'clock
this morning to attend the Walz re-
union to be held today and tomorrow
in St. Matthews' grove, near New
Cumberland, Tuscarawas county.

Not Warm Enough.

The society of Red Cross held an
ice cream social last evening on the
lawn of Charlie Smith, of east Second
street. It seems that the weather was
not warm enough or something of the
sort was wrong, for not a very large
number responded to the invitation.
A few came and went and a number
carried cream home to the folks.
About four or five dollars was realized.

Picnic.

The Sunday school of the Grace M.
E. church is holding its annual picnic
today at the fair grounds. A large
party took the cars from the church
this afternoon, provided with well
filled baskets and smiling faces.

Moved Away.

South Lima lost another good citi-
zen this morning when Fred Brandt
removed with his family from south
Pine street to his new home in Cleve-
land. Mr. Brandt has secured a lucra-
tive position there and will reside
there in the future.

Pointers.

Misses Mattie Morgan, Mollie Fen-
wick and Goldie Zuhmshelley and Mrs.
Harry Zuhmshelley formed a party of
Cedar Pointers this morning.

John Littler, of Grove avenue, and
son Richard, of St. Johns avenue, left
this morning to visit relatives in
Traverse, Michigan.

Peter Munsch has removed from St.
Johns avenue to his new home on
south Pine street.

Mrs. E. F. Kennedy, of St. Johns
avenue, is confined to her home with
malaria fever.

Mrs. Clara Keeler, of east Vine
street, and her mother, Mrs. M. M.
Betz, of north Jackson street, are tak-
ing in the Celina fair today. They will
return in a day or two bringing with
them the little mother Mrs. Sam
Brandon who will remain here two or

three months, visiting friends and rela-
tives.

Mrs. J. H. M. Morrison, of south
Main street, with her children, is a
visitor at Cedar Point today.

Miss Beulah McKinnon, of Madison
avenue, is seriously ill with typhoid
fever. U. B. McKinnon is also con-
fined to his home with an attack of
illness.

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Tablets.—L. F. Andrews, Des Moines,
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Eben Holden and a Pie.

"I remember once," said Uncle Eb,
"I praised a woman's pie. We were
over in Canada buyin' cattle. The
woman, she asked me if there was
anything I'd like to hev for my dinner.
I told her that I was very fond o
berry pie, so she made one. It came
on the table in a pan. I didn't know
what it was, er mebbe I could have
made some excuse an' got away.
Suddenly the woman begun to cut it.
"I've made that pie you asked for,"
she said. "I took me a long time, but
here 'tis, an' I hope you'll like it."
"The pie was about three inches
thick, an' there was only just a feeble
streak o' red stain through the middle
of it where the berries oughter be."
The old man paused a moment.

"Wall," he continued, with a sigh,
"of course I had to eat that pie. It
was the greatest obstacle I ever en-
countered. Fer a minute I felt as if I
was ketchin' in a bear trap. But I
looked as pleasant as possible an'
went to work on that piece o' pie. I
no sooner got through than it went to
work on me. There wasn't much left
o' me next day. I lay there sick abed
an' the good woman she brought up
another pie. She wanted to please
me and I hadn't the heart to tell her
what I thought of her bakin'. But
she pressed it on me.

"No more, thank ye," says I.

"I thought you said it was good,"
said she, with a look of disappoint-
ment.

"Madam," says I, "the pie is good,
but I ain't good enough to eat it. I
hain't even joined the church yet."

Give me a little more time for prepa-
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Monthly for August.

Itching piles? Never mind if every
thing else failed to cure you. Try
Doan's Ointment. No failure there.
50 cents, at any drug store.

STOOD TEST WELL.

Rest, France, Aug. 19.—The inter-
esting experiment of firing a live
shell at one of the turrets of the
warship Suffrenee, with the object of
ascertaining the effects on the me-
chanism of the turret and guns therein
was carried out today in the presence
of Marine Minister Pelletan and nu-
merous high naval officers.

Three trial shots were fired by the
turret ship at targets erected on the
Suffrenee. The fourth shell was fired
at the turret of the Suffrenee. The
shell struck the turret, which ap-
peared to stand the test well. Frag-
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but its dollars to
doughnuts that
you are wrong.
Women are prone

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and when they do get time to go,
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Constipation results and then
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Steubenville, O., Aug. 19.—Mike
Lelercith and Melick Raber, two Aus-
trians, were shot and fatally wound-
ed last night at a Wabash railroad camp
near here, by two negroes, who held
them up. The Austrians resisted and
ran, and the negroes shot after them.
Raber is shot through the body.
Lelercith is shot in the back. Both
are at the hospital here.

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patient's lungs are not subjected to a
constant accumulation of solid par-
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It then passed through calcium chlo-
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attend are requested to send their
names to officers of said society at
once. Hacks will leave the church at
10 o'clock.

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use it occasionally now when I am exceptionally tired or worn out."
—Miss ALICE M. SMITH, 804 Third Ave., South Minneapolis, Minn., Chair-
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of Lima.
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of Lima.
For Commissioner,
ALEXANDER L. CONRAD,
of Bluffton.
For Surveyor,
CHARLES E. CRAIG,
of Monroe Township.
For Coroner,
DR. ANDREW W. BICE,
of Lima.
For Infirmary Director,
C. H. MOSIER,
of Marion Township.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Aug. 19.—For Ohio:
Fair tonight, cooler in central and
southeast portions, Thursday fair,
cooler in southern portions.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CON-
VENTION.

Pursuant to the order of the Demo-
cratic State Central Committee, no-
tice is hereby given that the conven-
tion of the Democrats of the state of
Ohio, to nominate candidates for state
offices, to be voted for at the Novem-
ber election, 1903, for the endorse-
ment or rejection of constitutional
amendments submitted by the General
Assembly, and for the nomination of
a candidate for United States Senator,
will be held at Columbus, Ohio, on
Tuesday and Wednesday, August 25,
and 26. Each county will be entitled
to one delegate and one alternate for
each one hundred votes cast for Her-
bert S. Bigelow for Secretary of
State the November election, 1903,
and one additional delegate and alter-
nate for the remainder of votes ex-
ceeding two hundred and fifty.

Delegates to this convention shall
be elected through primaries, delegate
convention or mass conventions for
the holding of which at least ten days'
notice shall have been previously given
designating the time and place for
the holding of such primaries and con-
ventions, and called by the control-
ling committees of the party in such
counties, except that the delegates
from a county containing a city in
which there is a registration of elec-
tors, and in which city the number of
voting precincts forms a majority of
the precincts of the county, shall be
selected by direct vote of the people
at a primary election held in pursu-
ance of the laws of this state. No
county, central or executive commit-
tee shall have power to name dele-
gates to the state convention.

All delegates shall submit their
credentials to the chairman and sec-
retary of the state committee at Co-
lumbus, on Tuesday, August 25, not
later than 3 o'clock p. m. The dele-
gations will meet by districts at 8
o'clock p. m. on Tuesday, August 25,
at such places as may be designated
by the committee on arrangements,
for the purpose of selecting one mem-

ber of each of the following commit-
tees:

State central committee, resolu-
tions, credentials, rules and order of
business, permanent organization,
vice-president and secretary.

All of such committees will meet at
places to be designated by the com-
mittees on arrangements, at 7:30
o'clock p. m. of the same day.

The convention will be called to
order in the Columbus Auditorium,
on Wednesday, August 26, at 9:30
o'clock a. m. The temporary officers
will be: Chairman, G. M. Saltzgarbor;
secretary, Charles E. Mason; assist-
ant secretaries, L. B. Houck and
Charles Marshall; sergeant-at-arms,
W. R. Burnett; first assistant ser-
geant-at-arms, Joe Goldsoll; second
assistant sergeant-at-arms, John Du-
gan.

At such convention candidates shall
be named for the following offices:
Governor, lieutenant-governor, state
auditor, state treasurer, attorney gen-
eral, one judge of the supreme court,
one school commissioner and one
member of the board of public works.

The apportionment of delegates and
alternates in the convention, shall be
as follows:

Allen 10
Ashtabula 5
Darke 6
Mercer 6
Shelby 6

W. J. FREY,

Chairman.

HARRY F. PAYER,

Secretary.

RACE SUICIDE.

We have had but little to say about
race suicide, not because we are not
opposed to it, but for the reason that
Roosevelt had started out to solve the
problem, and it was only fair that the
finish be left to him. But we cannot
refrain longer from taking a hand,
and all because there is a "coon"
named Britton at McBeth park this
week who is trying to dance himself
to death, and that too when he has a
partner who is about the neatest, trim-
mest little Dixie exponent north of
Mason and Dixon's line. The neatest
lunk from Bucksville never was in it
with Britton. He dances, oscillates,
agitates, kangaroos, curves, cuts
capers and convulses until you would
think he must cease to pulsate, and
then he asks if you want more. With
him, to dance is like a labour of love.
Britton is the Mazurka of his profes-
sion, and his dancing partner is the
model Allemande!

THROW HIM IN.

The members of the general assem-
bly of Ohio will junket from Columbus
to Cedar Point, next Saturday, and
there banquet that evening. There
will be several gentlemen of reputa-
tion among them, and a good many
who are branded with notoriety. In
the latter list will be Smith W. Ben-
nett, who was largely instrumental in
framing the municipal code. After he
gets the regularly ordained Cedar
Point soak, we suggest that he be
proverbial mill stone be tied about his
neck just below his scheming brain,
and that he be cast into the waters of
Lake Erie to become food for the Fish
Trust's fishes.

It is up to some one to enter the
gubernatorial fight with an airship for
a platform of principles.

Turkey will have the unpleasant
yet novel experience of hearing the
"gobble" song sung by a bear some of
these days.

Unless Quail, Gale, Hall and Rum-
baugh can get together, let's take
them to Columbus next week, and
show them what real harmony is.

Just think of the consequences if
Quail and Gale get a bunch of unre-
quited love from Hanna in return for
their efforts to control this county for
him.

Gold is elsewhere about town than
in Pugh's stone quarry. We saw four
dollars worth of it today right on
Main street, engaged in a crowning
effort to make a homely woman beau-
tiful.

According to the Cleveland Press,
the trusts think but little of the inven-
tion of the Philadelphia man who can
make gold out of silver, because they
have been making the auriferous
metal out of water.

The publishers of Toledo papers are
engaged in such a terrific circulation
affidavit contest these days, and it's
little wonder the reading matter they
put out indicates the wheels are going
round in their heads.

They put the tape on Reilance and
Shamrock III, yesterday, but that isn't
where they strung Thomas.
Americans are too good sportsmen
for that. The real stringing will take
place in the actual race.

"Please inform me through the col-
umns of your valuable paper what you
mean when you charge me with a
coup d'etat. If I ever made one of
them I'll show 'em, and

Hood's

Sarsaparilla is unquestion-
ably the greatest blood
and liver medicine known. It
positively and permanently
cures every humor, from
Pimples to Scrofula. It is
the Best
Blood Medicine.

Quail won't tell me." Postmaster
Hall.

Isn't it strange how things of strik-
ing import will happen coincidentally.
For instance: The "Immortal J. N."
was in town yesterday, and detective
John T. Norris got the life nearly
beaten out of him down near Spring-
field.

There is no use talking, the best
talent in the country will have to
give up wasting brain power and kill-
ing good men in its efforts to make
two trains going in opposite directions
pass on the same track without dam-
age. "It can't be did."

Jim Fisher, an old Lima boy is the
official prognosticator for the Colum-
bus Journal, and somehow or other
the dust from Johnson's red devil has
gotten into his eyes, and so complet-
ely blinded them he can see no one but
the mayor riding his machine up the
state capital steps. Jim has been
"blind" before.

Those are wise democratic conven-
tions which in anticipation of the com-
ing democratic national convention
reaffirm their "devotion to democratic
principles." The national convention
when it gets down to reaffirming will
go farther back than four or eight
years to get a basis for its reaffirma-
tion.

VETERANS ON PARADE.

(Continued from 1st Page)

Complaint will never entirely cease
nor will cases of injustice be entirely
eliminated from the administration of
such a great trust, but by an honest,
fair and liberal administration of the
laws, we may reach the minimum of
complaint and of injustice. Is not
the time at hand when wisdom and
justice both warrant such an adjust-
ment of the pension laws as will meet
the condition that exists by providing
for a fixed amount of pension per
month? I believe it would be wise to
appoint a committee whose duty
would be to frame a proper bill and
present the same to Congress, provid-
ing for a pension of not less than \$12
per month for all honorably dis-
charged soldiers, sailors or marines,
who may choose to apply.

ONLY A MASK.

Many are not being benefited by the
summer vacation as they should be.
Notwithstanding much outdoor life,
they are little if any stronger than
they were. The tan on their faces
is darker and makes them look health-
ier, but it is only a mask. They are
still nervous, easily tired, upset by
trifles, and they do not eat nor sleep
well. What they need is what tones
the nerves, perfects digestion, creates
appetite, and makes sleep refreshing,
and that is Hood's Sarsaparilla. Pupils
and teachers generally will find the
chief purpose of the vacation best sub-
served by this great medicine which,
as we know, "builds up the whole sys-
tem."

OIL MARKET.

Tiona oil \$1.71
Pennsylvania oil 1.56
Somerset oil99
Corning oil 1.36
New Castle oil 1.43
North Lima oil 1.18
South Lima oil 1.13
Indiana oil 1.13
Lacey, Tenn.93
Ragland, Ky.62
Neodosha, Kan. 1.14

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ing property through THE UNION
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PRETTY
WAS TALK

Made by Minister of Nicaragua in
Paris on Canal Question.

His Country Occupies Dignified Position, and
Should Panama Plan Fail, America
Would Have to Make All Over-
tures for Re-opening.

Paris, Aug. 19.—Dr. Core, the minis-
ter of Nicaragua to the United States
is here on a vacation trip but owing to
his extended negotiations with Secre-
tary Hay on the subject of the Nica-
ragua route for an international canal,
he is closely following the reports of
the rejection of the canal treaty by
the Colombian senate as it is said
that one of the sequels may be the
resumption of active negotiations
with Nicaragua. The minister de-
clined to discuss Colombia's action,
but when asked if Nicaragua was
ready to reopen negotiations, he said:
"I am not authorized by my govern-
ment to reopen negotiations nor to
take any action on the subject. In
fact my instructions are to remain en-
tirely inactive. Nicaragua occupies
the dignified position of not wishing
to thrust her route upon the considera-
tion of the United States. We believe
it ourselves to be superior from every
point of view. It should be fully un-
derstood that the last two Isthmian
canal commissions pronounced the
Nicaraguan route to be superior, the
only reason for a conclusion favorable
to Panama being the difference of
about \$5,000,000 in the item of cost.
Therefore, the statements that the
United States is not likely to turn to
Nicaragua because of the notorious
inferiority of its physical conditions
is contrary to all the highest author-
ity. But, despite the superiority of
our route, we are not throwing it at
the United States or unduly insisting
upon its adoption. Therefore my
government desires me to refrain
from taking any step which might pos-
sibly be construed as seeking to em-

barass the Panama negotiations or as
thrusting forward the Nicaragua route.
If any initiative is taken toward re-
newing the negotiations on the Nica-
raguan route it will have to come
from the United States as Nicaragua
will continue to occupy her position of
dignified reserve."

The minister was asked whether, if
the United States desired to reopen
negotiations Nicaragua would demand
new terms and conditions beyond
those contained in the Hay-Corea pro-
tocol. He replied: "Since my gov-
ernment has not given me instruc-
tions, I am unable to say, as minister
what the terms or conditions will be,
but speaking in my private capacity,
I am sure Nicaragua will approach
any new negotiations in a spirit of
complete frankness and fairness. She
has always considered the great enter-
prise as one in which the commerce
of the world is concerned and has
never viewed the subject from any
restricted standpoint, but rather as
an undertaking of international mag-
nitude."

BREWERS ARE
PREPARING TO

Join Army of Trusts. Competition Has
Made Business Unprofitable.

New York, Aug. 19.—Many recent
conferences among brewers of Greater
New York have given rise to a belief
that a combination of all brewing
interests is about to be formed. The
immediate result of the consolidation
would be to close several of the small-
er breweries. There are about forty
of these in Brooklyn alone. Another
result would be the establishment of
certain standard grades of beer and

TOO ABSURD
TO CONSIDER.

More Trouble in Government Printing
Office. Miller Ignores Charges.

Washington, Aug. 19.—The contro-
versy between the bookbinders union
and Wm. A. Miller, assistant foreman
in the government printing office, has
broken out afresh. At the close of
the days work Monday, Public Printer
Palmer handed to Mr. Miller a set of
charges which had been prepared by
the union.

Mr. Miller was informed that he
could take the rest of the week to re-
ply to them, but he sent them back to
the public printer yesterday, with the
statement that they were made by ir-
responsible parties, that they were
based on hearsay and were too absurd
to seriously consider. The officials

INQUEST

Is Being Held Today in the
Yazel Case.

Probate Judge Miller is conducting
an inquest this afternoon in order to
dispose of John Q. Yazel, who has
been awaiting a disposition of his case
since he was taken into custody day
before yesterday. Several witnesses
put in an appearance this morning and
gave their testimony, and others will
be heard who have a better knowledge
of the actions of the man who is be-
lieved to have become insane on ac-
count of a too frequent indulgence in
strong drink.

PHYSICAL

Committee Will Put Things
in Shape.

The physical committee of the Y.
M. C. A. will hold a meeting Friday
evening for the purpose of preparing
for the fall and winter season of ath-
letics. There are some necessities
needed for the gymnasium, which the
committee will likely recommend and
the patrons of the gymnasium will
have everything needed to make their
work more pleasant.

Best bill of the season at McBeth
Park, this week. 63-6t.

VICEROY HAS
SENT TROOPS

To Assist in Restoring Order. Vigorous
Policy Having Good Effect.

New York, Aug. 19.—At the request
of Viceroy Shen, the Yangtze Viceroy
recently sent a considerable body of
troops to assist in restoring order at
Kwangsi, says a Pekin dispatch to the
Times by way of London. The ad-
ministration of Shen is being charac-
terized by remarkable activity and
thoroughness. He has followed up the
removal of the Governor Wang Chin
Chun and Marshall Su by punishing
and removing from office many incor-
rupt and dishonest officials. Informa-
tion from trustworthy sources show
that the disturbances have not been
caused by an anti-dynastic movement,
but have been due principally to large
numbers of unpaid troops during Su's
reign joining the turbulent element of
the population and organizing inde-
pendent bands, which preyed upon the
trade of the province. Already there
are signs that the Viceroy's vigor-
ous policy is producing an effect.
Bandit leaders have offered in
accordance with the usual Chinese
custom to discuss arrangements
whereby their forces may take service
under the imperial government.

STARTLING IS
THE TALE TOLD

By Witness for Prosecution in Case of
Kentucky Against Powers.

Georgetown, Ky., Aug. 19.—In the
trial of Caleb Powers, the common
wealth this morning over objection of
the defense, secured permission to in-
troduce the witness, Henry Broughton,
who ran away and had not been cap-
tured. Broughton told of going to
Frankfort at the instance of Powers,
and others with the mountain army,
on Jan. 25, 1900. After arriving at
Frankfort, he met Powers, and the de-
fendant asked him to give him the
names of several men one of whom

IRISH CATHOLIC
BENEVOLENT UNION.

Thirty-fourth Annual Convention in Session
Representing 750,000 Members. Will Con-
sider Increase in Benefits.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 19.—The thirty-
fourth annual convention of the Irish
Catholic Benevolent Union of the
United States and Canada, opened
here today. Two hundred delegates
representing 750,000 members in at-
tendance.

Most important among the features

MUST STAND
FOR RUNNING

Alleged Ringers on Race Tracks. Judge
Refused Habeas Corpus Release.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—Ed. E. Farley,
the Detroit race horse owner, who has
been behind the fights against the
Washington park and Harlan race
tracks, must go back to Michigan to
stand trial on a charge of substituting
race horses, technically, "ringing."
Judge Chetlain today refused to grant
his release on a writ of habeas corpus.

Farley is under arrest, but has been
released on bond. Tomorrow, Judge
Chetlain will decide whether the ex-
tradition papers will become operative
immediately or whether Farley is to
be held in Cook county, as a witness
in the cases of the Washington park
officials and bookmakers indicted by
the last grand jury.

A TRUE STORY.

How a Young Wife Regained Her Health and Beauty.



W. E. Birch, Afton, Va., an extensive fruit grower of that place, writes the following letter to the Peru Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio. We print the letter in full:

Afton, Va., June 4, 1900.
Gentlemen—"The country is so flooded with patent medicines of every kind that are worthless and a humbug, that I for one, am glad to be able to say I have found one that is everything and more than is claimed for it."

"My wife was very much run down and out of sorts in every way. She had a pelvic disorder which left her very weak, nervous and no appetite at all."

"One day I happened to be at my father's store, S. A. Birch, Coresville, Albemarle county, Va., and noticed your medicine he had there for sale."

"I thought it might help my wife, so I brought a bottle of it home and within a week she commenced to eat and now she is hungry all the time and not half the medicine has been taken. We both agree that it beats any medicine to bring on an appetite and to put the nerves in good shape that we have ever had anything to do with. We had our family doctor to give her medicine and he did all he could, but she did not improve the

least. She has consumption in her family and she was in such bad shape; so run down, nervous, weak, and could not eat, that I had begun to get very uneasy, but your medicine made an entirely new woman of her. I believe she exists and feels better now than she has for years."

"I have not the slightest doubt but that your medicine has saved her from a long spell of sickness. It is nothing more. All my family has begun to get uneasy, but, of course, she did not know it and I have only just told her of it since she has improved so much. I had no idea it would do half what it has and don't think there is another medicine made that will begin to compare with it."—W. E. Birch, Fruit Grower, Afton, Albemarle county, Va.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peru's, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

CROP REPORT.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 19.—The weather bureau's weekly summary of crop condition in part is as follows: This is the third consecutive week of abnormal cool weather in the northern districts east of the Rocky mountains, where warmth is greatly needed for maturing crops. Drought prevails in the central and upper portions of the Ohio valley, central and southern Texas in portions of Florida, Oklahoma. Throughout the northern and eastern portions of the corn belt the weather has been too cool for maturing corn, which is unusually late. The crop has however generally improved, especially in the central and western districts, the outlook being very promising in Kansas. Drought in the upper Ohio valley has materially lessened the prospects for corn in that section.

Rains have further checked the progress of spring wheat harvest in the Dakotas and Minnesota, but this work is nearly completed in the southern portions of spring wheat region.

Cool weather has affected tobacco unfavorably in Kentucky, Virginia and New England and drought is causing further injury in Ohio, elsewhere the crop has made satisfactory progress, cutting has begun in Maryland, Ohio, Kentucky, Wisconsin and New England. There is a very general absence of reports of injury by worms.

The general outlook for apples is promising, especially in the central valleys, where dropping is extensively reported. More favorable reports are received from portions of the middle Atlantic states and southern Kansas.

Except in the upper Ohio valley, where it has been too dry and in portions of Virginia and eastern Kansas where there has been too much rain, plowing for fall seeding has progressed satisfactorily.

WILL DELAY DEPARTURE.

Rome Aug. 19.—The most Rev. J. J. Hart, Archbishop of Manila, has postponed his departure from Rome as he is desirous of assisting in the consecrating of the Right Rev. Theobaldus Hendrick, the recently appointed bishop of Cebu next Sunday.

RUSSIAN BEARS.

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of encouraging the rioters, who will be further encouraged by the dispatches of the warships of Russia and Italy.

This official addit that Great Britain's attitude was satisfactory to the Porte as was that of Germany. Austria who it is asserted here was not advised by Russia of the latter's intention to send warships to Turkish waters may decide that her interests also require a naval demonstration. It is reiterated positively that Russia has no intention to engage in hostilities and has no desire for war or even to arouse further international differences over the Balkans.

The general consensus of opinion among the diplomats is that there is nothing in the present situation to warrant the belief that it will develop into a general conflagration as the powers are co-operating generally to preserve the peace of Europe. The situation in the far east, especially the national agitation in Japan is regarded by some diplomats as being as threatening as the Balkan situation. The Japanese officials hardly attempt to conceal their belief that their government will act in the far east, should such an opportunity offer as the embroilment of Russia in the Balkans.

Thirty Were Killed.

Salonica, Tuesday, Aug. 18.—A revolutionary band engaged a force of Turkish troops, yesterday at Kalliar. Thirty of the revolutionists were killed and the troops are pursuing the remainder of the band.

A message from the Metropolitan of Salonica, further confirms the report that the Turkish troops on entering Krushevo territory, maltreated the inhabitants. About 150 Greeks and others, including 80 Christians, were marched as prisoners to Monastir. Five of them died on their way there.

OPAC.

Cures a Cold in 24 Hours.

If you have that languid, all tired out feeling and hardly know what is the matter, you need a tonic to carry the fever breeding impurities from the system. Try Opac Tablets, a few of them will make you feel like a new person. Try them for neuralgia, the effect is wonderful. Price, 25 cents. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

I. O. F.

All members of Court Allen 3452 Independent Order of Foresters are earnestly requested to be present at the meeting tonight. Important business to transact.

ANDREW COY, R. S.

PRIVATE SHOT AND COMRADE

With Whom He Quarreled Is Under Arrest. Inquiry Board Investigating.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Aug. 19.—Between himself and T. W. Bird an other of the same battery, who was the only witness to the shooting, or met death through the careless handling of a revolver, is not known. Bird is under arrest pending an investigation into the affair by a board of inquiry.

IS ALLEGED HE DREW PAY

While in Hospital for Treatment. Grand Jury Considering Postal Frauds.

Washington, Aug. 19.—The grand jury today resumed its inquiry into the affairs of the post office department, and it is expected at the conclusion of the investigation there will be a batch of indictments. The post office inspectors also are still engaged in original inquiries and it is expected will present the facts in the case of a number of department employees which while not criminal in character are considered sufficiently irregular to call for attention at the

SIDE BY SIDE IN THE MORGUE

Rest Bodies of Cleveland Murderer and His Victim. Cowardly Crime.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 19.—Lying side by side in the county morgue the bodies of William Leutbecher and his alleged victim, Martha Faehrich, were the centre of interest to a large throng of curious people this morning. Leutbecher and Miss Faehrich were found lying dead on Ashbel street late last night by the police. The girl had been shot in the head over the left ear and the man over the right ear. A revolver lay between Leutbecher's legs.

The developments today indicate a cowardly double crime. Leutbecher was the girl's suitor but because of his idle habits, her family did not wish Martha to marry him and they warned Leutbecher to remain away from Martha and to stop calling at the

BOTH SHOWED FINE FETTER.

Reliance and Shamrock III Make Final Spin Before the Race.

New York, Aug. 19.—Under weather conditions that promise to be repeated tomorrow on the occasion of the first of the races in the international series, the Reliance and Shamrock III, respectively the defender and the challenger for the American cup, today left their moorings at Sandy Hook for the last spin before the race. After months of trying of spars, ropes and blocks, after repeated tests of ballast, stretching of sails and burnishing of hulls, both boats are now in perfect condition, according to the ideas of their owners and designers, and today's sail was just a trial, not for speed, but for a final test of fittings and gear.

Interest has been considerably augmented in the yachts over New York by the decision that the Reliance must allow the Shamrock III a handicap of one minute and 45 seconds, and many yachting experts sought places of vantage today to view the last trials. The boats crossed Sandy Hook Bay on the starboard tack, and in a 12 knot breeze headed out to sea. The sails of both fitted perfectly. After they had sailed to a point about a mile southwest of the Scotland lighthouse the Reliance headed back running before the wind.

Will Have Good Breeze.

New York, Aug. 19.—The local weather bureau today issued the following special weather forecast for tomorrow's yacht race: The weather over the course of the international yacht race Thursday will be partly cloudy with light to fresh west to north winds.

(Signed) Emery

Will H. Fox, the great comedian, pianist, on his last tour of America, before returning to Europe, at McBeth's this week.

Will H. Fox, original comedy pianist at McBeth's this week, tells a story of love, courtship, marriage and divorce with his wizard fingers. 4-3t

BEARS RAID CAUSED DROP

Of Several Points in Good Stocks. Closing Active and Weak.

New York, Aug. 19.—The opening statement was unsettled by a continuation of yesterday's late profit taking at some points and support at others, notably in the Pacific Virginia-Carolina-Chemical fell a point on the passing of the dividend and Tenn Coal dropped 2/3 in the reduction in Southern Pig Iron. Opening sales of Rock Island were of 3500 shares at 30 3/4, compared with 31 1/4 last night. The stock subsequently ran off to below 30.

The market became dull and steady for a time but fresh selling orders appeared in volume carrying prices lower than before. Rock Island loss reached 2 1/4. Amalgamated Leather pfd, and Delaware Hudson 2 or over, U. S. Steel pfd, 1 1/2 and the common, 1 to 1 1/2 points. The pressure relaxed before noon, but there were no rallies. Bonds were irregular at noon.

There was much covering of shorts and rallies of a point or more in many stocks, but the bears made another drive which caused Amalgamated to drop 4, General Electric and Delaware and Hudson 4, Consolidated Gas 3 1/2. The Kansas City and Southern stocks 3, Erie second pfd, 2 1/2 and Union Pacific, Brooklyn Transit, Alton, pfd, and Sugar 2, under last night. Other stocks touched the lowest of the day, but only restored their previous extreme declines by small fraction. There was some rallies but other stocks drifted downwards again. St. Paul and Atchison, sold down over 3

points. The closing was active and weak. Live Stock. Chicago, Aug. 19.—Cattle receipts, 18,000 including 1500 westerns, market slow. Good to prime steers \$5.10 @ \$5.60. Poor to medium \$3.65 @ \$4.90. Stockers and feeders \$2.25 @ \$4.00. Heifers \$2.00 @ \$4.45. Canners \$1.50 @ \$2.60. Opening sales of Rock Island \$2.60. Buys \$2.00 @ \$4.40. Calves \$2.50 @ \$4.25. Texas fed steers \$3.25 @ \$4.40. Western steers \$3.25 @ \$4.45.

Hogs, receipts today, 25,000, tomorrow 20,000, left over, good hogs steady to strong, others slow mixed and butchered \$4.90 @ \$6.00; good to choice heavy \$5.15 @ \$5.45, rough \$4.75 @ \$5.15, light \$5.30 @ \$5.60, bulk of sales \$5.15 @ \$5.45. Sheep, receipts 25,000, sheep steady to strong, others slow mixed and butchered \$4.90 @ \$6.00; good to choice heavy \$5.15 @ \$5.45, rough \$4.75 @ \$5.15, light \$5.30 @ \$5.60, bulk of sales \$5.15 @ \$5.45.

Grain and Provisions. Chicago, Aug. 19.—Close. Wheat—Sept. 81 1/4 old 81 1/2, Dec. 82 1/4 old 82 1/2, May 84. Corn—Aug. 51 1/4; Sept. 51 1/4; Dec. 52, May 52 1/2. Oats—Aug. 34 1/4; Sept. 34 1/2; Dec. 35 1/4; Jan. 35 1/8. Pork—Sept. 17 5/8, Oct. 12 5/8, May 12 5/8. Lard—Sept. 7 5/8, Oct. 7 1/2; Dec. 6 3/4; Jan. 6 3/4. Ribs—Sept. 7 3/4, Oct. 7 1/2, Jan. 6 3/4. Eggs—Sept. 52, Dec. 54. Timothy—Oct. 3 10.

THREATENING FIRE IN EAST END OF CITY.

This afternoon about 2 10 o'clock the entire city fire department was called out to fight a threatening fire that had started in a barn belonging to Mrs. Josephine Sartor, on east Market street. Mrs. Sartor's barn was entirely destroyed and a barn belonging to Martin Edwards and filled with hay belonging to Bothkins and Stolzenbach was very badly damaged. Mrs. Sartor bravely rescued two horses from her barn and in doing so had her right hand painfully burned.

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ROCKY MOUNTAIN TEA

Makes You Well, Keeps You Well. Cures
Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Stomach
Pain, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Dizziness,
Nausea, Constipation, Biliousness, Colic,
Pain in Back, Congested Kidneys, Stomach
Disorders, Bladder Disorders, Indigestion,
Nervous Headache and Perfect Wound. Good
or Gracious, Loved by Grandmothers, Makes Father
Strong, Helps Mother do the Housework,
Makes the child and Baby Well, and keeps
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THE CRY FOR SLEEP.

Member is of Greater Importance to
Life Than Food.
In "Witchery of Sleep" is printed
this: The cry for sleep is ever greater
than the cry for bread. Existence de-
pends on both, but we eat to sleep,
while we sleep to live. Sleep is of far
greater importance than food for the
preservation of life. Sleep is the chief-
est thing in life. It has no other sub-
stitute nor rival. Take away sleep—
hope even is gone; nothing is left.
Most of the mischievous stories told
about the ability of great men to do
without sleep are untrue, and the fool-
ish man who reads that Napoleon slept
only three or four hours at night and
cut down his own hours of sleep might
better open a vein and lose a quart
of blood than lose the sleep which is
life itself. It is undoubtedly true that
Napoleon, an unconquerable foe, a
foolish, reckless man in matters af-
fecting his physical welfare, did de-
rive himself of sleep in his early
years, but he paid for it dearly. In his
last battles his power of resistance
was so slight that he actually went to
sleep during the fighting. Chronic
drowsiness weakened his brain, weak-
ened his force of character. The foun-
dation of his downfall was laid in Rus-
sia, when lack of sleep and unwise liv-
ing generally had taken away his men-
tal elasticity, deprived him of all pow-
er to form and carry out resolutions
and resulted in his final ruin.

Four Ways to Health.

Hygienic living demands imperative-
ly the absolute purity of the four fol-
lowing necessities: Air, water, food and
thoughts. Granted these, you have the
constituents out of which nature for-
mulates such a perfect creature that
the inward purity seems to lead to sim-
plicity of personality. It is not sim-
ply a few breaths of fresh air a half
dozen times a day that a woman needs,
but a continuous supply, and just as
the greater part of women are half
starved for fresh air so they are also
starved for food from ignorance than
necessity. In the quantity of water the
body requires to keep it clean and
healthy. Pleasure of a pure, elevat-
ing nature has come to be recognized
as having a distinctly therapeutic ef-
fect, and hence to be one of those fac-
tors which merit the same considera-
tion and attention as other necessities
in a well ordered life.

A Dream and a Reality.

An Irishman and a Scotchman once
went traveling through a western prairie.
It happened that one afternoon
they sat at a single table which would
do for the breakfast of one of them on
the following morning. Knowing that
the bird was not enough for two, they
agreed to have it eaten by the one who
should have the best dream during the
night.

When they woke early in the morn-
ing, the Irishman said to the Scotch-
man, "An' phwat did you dr dream, San-
dy?"

"Well," answered the Scot, "I dream-
ed that I saw a beautiful basket de-
scend from heaven and then I got into
it and was borne up to paradise."
"An' I dr dreamt," said the Irishman,
"that I saw you jump up an' thought
you wouldn't come back, an' so I ate
the quail."

Heaven a Home of Wealth.

Yea, they a life of happiness plenty
in cheerful labor in the open fields
and a mighty slim chance for the
doctor. Why, they're even wealth in it
of it's lived right, not riches, maybe,
but wealth. Why, the way I read
Scripture, it seems to me we're given
to understand that heaven is a home
of wealth. "Many mansions" sounds
that a-way. I'm shore, an' golden
streets shows that they won't anything
be considered too good for use. An'
sometimes I've thought that maybe it
meant to give us to understand that
the simple riches, like gold, was to be
tried underfoot. An' all the Revelational
jewels, why, they seem to be set either
in the walls or doors or somewhere
not let loose in piles, to be swapped or
equaled over. No riches to possess,
but these wealth to enjoy.—Ruth Mc-
Enery Stuart in Century.

The Months of Leaves.

The botanist, the real investigator
who has got down to making real ex-
plorations for himself, will talk to you
about the thousands of minute stom-
atodes on the surface of a leaf. These
invisible stomatodes are really the
mouths through which the leaves take
in carbonic acid. They are most abun-
dant on the upper surface of leaves.
Each is an oval opening guarded by a
pair of lips which open and close ac-
cording to requirements. They vary
from less than 1,000 to more than 20-
000 to the square inch of leaf surface.

A Graceful Compliment.

Some famous compliments have been
paid to members of the sterner sex,
and one of the most gracefully turned
was that uttered by Boileau, who,
when the virtuous Be. Memes, presi-
dent of the parliament of Paris, was
elected an academicien, congratulated
him in these terms: "I have come to
you, sir, in order that you may con-
gratulate me on having you for one of
my fellow academicians."

A Finished Orator.

Tourist—Larkin, who came out here
two years ago—he blossomed into quite
a public speaker, didn't he?
Bowdler Jim—Yep I s'pose he's
what you'd call a finished orator.
Made a speech denouncing the boys for
lynching a greaser boss thief, and they
finished him.—Kansas City Journal.

None Better.

"My uncle died yesterday, sir, and I
want you to officiate. Can you say
something nice about him?"
"But I didn't know him."
"Good! You're just the man."—Life.

HIGH PRICED COFFEE.

Yet the Hotel Steward Thought the
Charge Was Moderate.
"So you think a charge too much
for coffee, do you?" asked the steward
of one of New York's fashionable ho-
tels in response to a mild complaint
from a guest. "You paid 35 cents for a
small pot of coffee with cream, didn't
you? You admit that there was noth-
ing in the matter with the coffee, but you
say you didn't use all of the cream.
Maybe you didn't, but some other
guest might have wanted more than
you did. The coffee pot, pitchers for
hot milk and cream and the sugar bowl
were of silver. Your cup and saucer
were of the very best china. It costs
something to make that coffee, and we
have to get some return on our invest-
ment in the silverware and china.
There are two cups of coffee in a small
pot, and we would lose money if we
sold it at 19 cents a cup.
"There is another thing you must
consider—when you go into a high
class cafe you are given a table by
yourself. No matter how badly we are
crowded no one is placed at the table
with you. Suppose we sold coffee at
popular prices. Don't you know that
hundreds of people would be dropping
into the cafe just for a cup of coffee in
order to see the crowd? They would
monopolize all the tables. Don't say
a word, but one reason why we put up
the price is to keep the coffee drinkers
out, so that you may have a table when
you want to sit down to champagne
and terrapin."—New York Press.

Making It Easy.

There is a Presbyterian family in
Washington which owns or is owned
by a masterful boy of seven. The boy's
grandmother came to visit them recent-
ly and reproached them because the
child had not yet been baptized. The
mother protested lamely that she ex-
pected to defer that until the boy
should unite with the church. Grand-
mother sniffed and said if they waited
till the boy professed religion and
wished to join the church they'd wait
until the forty first year of the millen-
nium, so it was decided that he should
be baptized at once. Somewhat of the
discussion reached the youngster, and
he marched bravely up to his mother.
"I've got to be baptized?" he asked.
"Yes, dear," answered the mother.
"All right, then," and he cheerily, "I
don't care when you have it done. I
had my arm broken and I had my
shoulder dislocated, and I didn't feel it
a bit when the doctor fixed them. Just
have 'em give me a little chloroform
and they can baptize me all they want."
—Washington Post

Cut Both Ways.

"I want my hair cut and no talk,"
said a great man with an iron
earth air, as he walked into a barber's
shop and sat down.
"The," commenced the man in the
apron.
"No talk, I tell you," shouted the
heavy man. "Just a plain hair cut.
I've read all the papers and don't want
any news. Start away now!"
The man in the apron obeyed.
When he had finished, the man who
knew everything rose from his chair
and surveyed himself in the glass.
"Great Scott!" he exclaimed. "It's
really true then? You barbers can't
do your work properly unless you talk."
"I don't know," said the man in the
apron quietly. "You must ask the bar-
ber. He'll be in presently. I'm the
glazier from next door."

The Giant Spider of Ceylon.

Far up in the mountains of Ceylon
there is a gigantic spider which spins
a bright yellow web each thread being
almost as large and strong as button-
hole twine, or embroidery floss. The
net which this creature forms from
these webs is often five to eight feet
across. This net is swung on main-
stays or guys which are from ten to
twenty feet in length and strong
enough to call the pedestrian to a halt
as suddenly as if he had encountered a
low hanging clothesline. These yellow
webs are collected by the natives as
well as by Dutch and English residents
and woven into pretty mats, screens,
etc.

The Limit.

Mr. Critch Mrs. C. I have borne
with resignation—nay, even cheerfulness—
antique chairs that wobbled, an-
tique clocks that were always thirteen
hours behind time, antique rugs that
some prehistoric Turks wove, antique
china, antique bowls, pans and kettles.
All this I have smiled at, but when you
give me antique eggs for breakfast I
draw the line, madam—I draw the line.

Troubles and Joys.

The trouble with most of us is that
our joys seem to sink out of sight in
some lunatic quagmire, and our pains
seem to take root on the thinnest soil
and flourish like the proverbial green
bay tree. What is the matter with us
that a little irritation today can wipe
out in a moment all the recollection of
yesterday's glory?

"Practical" Arithmetic.

A teacher who was trying to instruct
her class about the mysteries of addi-
tion and subtraction explained that one
could not subtract or add unless the
numbers were of the same denomina-
tion when a little girl said:
"Teacher, can't you take six peaches
from four trees?"—Little Chronicle.

In a Minor Key.

Hearty friend (meeting operatic com-
poser)—Hello, old man! How are you?
Haven't seen you for an age! What's
your latest composition?
Impecunious Musician (gloomily)—
With my creditors.—Punch.

Usually the Way.

Mamie—She is trying to keep her
marriage a secret.
Maud—How do you know?
"She told me so."—Baltimore World.

A RESOLUTION.

DECLARING IT NECESSARY TO IM-
PROVE BELLEFONTAINE AVENUE,
IN THE CITY OF LIMA,
OHIO, FROM THE DETROIT
SOUTHERN RAILWAY TO CALU-
MET AVENUE, BY GRADING THE
SAME TO THE ESTABLISHED
GRADE.

Be it resolved by the City Council
of the City of Lima, State of Ohio,
three-fourths of all the members elect-
ed thereto, concurring therein, as fol-
lows, to-wit:
That it is hereby declared to be
necessary to improve Bellefontaine
Avenue, in the City of Lima, Ohio,
from the Detroit Southern Railway to
Calumet Avenue, by grading the
same to the established grade, and
the City Engineer is hereby directed
to prepare plans, specifications, es-
timates and profiles of the proposed
improvement, showing the grade of
the same with reference to the prop-
erty abutting thereon, and file said
plans, specifications, estimates and
profiles in the office of the Department
of Public Service, where the same
shall at all times be open to the in-
spection of all persons interested;
and the Clerk is hereby directed to
cause this Resolution to be publish-
ed according to law.
Adopted August 17, 1903.

GEO. L. NEWSON,
President of the Council.
O. J. ROSE, City Clerk.
Approved August 18, 1903, by THEO.
D. ROBB, Mayor.

A RESOLUTION.

DECLARING IT NECESSARY TO
CONSTRUCT SIDEWALKS IN
FRONT OF CERTAIN LOTS AND
LANDS ON CERTAIN STREETS
IN THE CITY OF LIMA, OHIO.

Be it resolved by the City Council
of the City of Lima, Ohio, as fol-
lows:

Section 1. That it is deemed neces-
sary that sidewalks be constructed
in front of the following described
lots and tracts of land, in the City of
Lima, Ohio, viz.: On South McDon-
ald street, lots number 5839, 5831, 5832,
5833, 5797, 5798, and lot 18; on Belle-
fontaine avenue, lot 5206; on East Elm
street, lots 5194, 5193, 4936; on North
Scott street, lot 332, on Harrison ave-
nue, lots number 4124, 4425, 4426,
4427, 4123, 4429, 4430 and 4431, 6163,
6164, 6165, 6166, 6167, 6168, 6169, 6170,
6171, 6172, 6173, 6174, 6175, and 4919,
on South Metcalf street, lots 3 and
579; On the south side of West Elm
street, between McDonald and Nye
streets, lots number 18, 5781, 5782,
5783, 5784, 5785, 5786, 5787, 5936, 5937,
5938, 5927, 5928, 5925, 5924, 5923, 5922;
on Ontario street, lots number 4696,
3103, 3104, 3105, 3106, 3107; on Mc-
Donald street, south of river, lots num-
ber 4696, 4692, 4691, 4698, 4686, 4685,
4684, 4683, 4681, 4680; on Atlantic av-
enue, lots number 3107, 3139, 3140,
3141, 3142, north part of lot number
3107, lots 3131, 3169, on Ohio street,
lots number 4691, 3145, 3146, 3147,
3150, 3151, 3152, 3153, 3154, 3155, on
Ontario street, number 4685, 3156,
3157, 3158, 3159, 3160, 3161, 3162, 3163,
3164, 3165, 3167, 3168, on Oak street,
lots number 4690, 4692, 4693, 4695, 4697,
4662, 4663, 4664, 4666, 4667, on West
Vine street, lots number 4125, 4525,
4527, 4595, 4596, on north Charles
street, lot number 4072 north part of
lot 4057, north part of lot 4073 north
part of lot 4088, south part of lot
4088 East Grand avenue lots number
1143, 1144, 1147 east part of lot num-
ber 1148 west part of lot number 1148
On Findlay street, lots number 1554,
1551, 3425 south part of lot number
1245, 1246, 1247 lot 30, on South
Jackson street, lot number 5661, on
West Elm street, lot number 5231,
5232, 5249, 5250, 5251, 5252, 5253, 5254,
5255, 5256, 5257, 5258, 5259, 5260, on
Bruce avenue, lots number 4092, 4093,
4045, 4046 on the west side of Met-
calf street between Spring street and
North Shore Drive outlot number 66,
and lots number 5930, 5931, 5933, 5934,
5935, 5937, 5938, 5960, 5961, 5962, 5963,
5964, 5965, 5966, 5967, 5968.

Section II. That the owner or
owners of each separate lot or tract of
land named in the preceding section,
be, and they are hereby required to
construct a sidewalk in front of their
respective properties, within thirty
days after receiving notice of the
adoption of this resolution, and any
and all such sidewalks not so con-
structed by the owner, within such
period shall be constructed by the
city and the costs thereof shall be
charged and assessed to the lot or
tract of land in front of which the
same is constructed.

Section III. That such side-walks
shall be constructed in all respects
in accordance with the plans and spec-
ifications therefor, on file in the office
of the department of Public Service
in the City of Lima, Ohio, in ac-
cordance with the general side-walk or-
dinance in the City, and under the su-
pervision and the satisfaction of the
City Civil Engineer the Board of Pub-
lic Service and the City Council.

Section IV. That the Clerk of the
Council of said City shall give notice
of the passage of this resolution, by
causing a written notice thereof to be
served upon the owner of each lot or
parcel of land mentioned in section
one, who are residents of Allen county,
Ohio, in the manner required by
law, and B. F. Hitchcock is hereby
designated to serve such notices, pro-
vided that if any of the owners of
any of the lots or parcels of land
above described, are not residents of
the City of Lima, then that such no-
tices may be served upon any person

who is the agent of such owner or
who may be charged with the collec-
tion of rents or the payment of taxes
on such property; and a copy of such
notice, with the time and manner of
service endorsed thereon, and signed
by the person making the service of
the same, shall be returned to and
filed in the office of Public Service
of said City, as required by law.
Adopted August 17, 1903.

GEO. L. NEWSON,
President of the Council.
Attest, O. J. ROSE, Clerk of the
Council.
Approved by Theo. D. Robb, Mayor,
August 17, 1903.
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AN ORDINANCE

PROVIDING FOR THE ORGANI-
ZATION AND EQUIPMENT OF A
FIRE DEPARTMENT AND RE-
PEALING ALL FORMER ORDINANCES,
PARTS OF ORDINANCES
AND RESOLUTIONS OF LIKE
CHARACTER AND PURPOSE.

Be it ordained by the Council of the
City of Lima, State of Ohio, as fol-
lows:

Sec. 1. The Fire Department of the
City of Lima, Ohio, shall consist of
the present hooks, ladders, hose
carts, hose wagons, chemical and
steam engines now in use or which
hereafter may be purchased by the
City of Lima, Ohio, and all necessary
equipment thereof, together with the
employees necessary to the efficient
working of the same.

Sec. 2. The officers of the Fire De-
partment shall consist of one Chief
of the Fire Department, one Assistant
Chief, and three Captains, one for
each of the Hose Houses belonging
to said Department. In case of the
death, resignation or removal of the
present incumbents of the office of
Chief or Captains, aforesaid, such
vacancy shall be filled by the Mayor from
the list certified to him for such pur-
pose by the Board of Public Safety,
in accordance with the provisions of
the law for such cases made and pro-
vided.

The Assistant Chief of the
Fire Department shall be a regular
member of the Fire Department of
said City, and immediately upon the
going into effect of this ordinance the
Board of Public Safety shall, after
the proper examination having been
held, certify to the Mayor according
to law a list of eligibles for the of-
fice of Assistant Chief, from which
the Mayor shall thereupon ap-
point some suitable person from such
list as Assistant Chief, who upon the
giving of the bond herein provided
for, shall undertake and assume the
duties of Assistant Chief of the Fire
Department in accordance with the
provisions hereinafter set forth, and
under such rules and regulations as
the Board of Public Safety have hereto-
fore or may hereafter make for such
purpose. The Assistant Chief, and the
Captains shall each, within ten (10)
days after the going into effect of
this ordinance give to the City of
Lima a suitable bond, in the sum of
One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to
the approval of the Mayor, and the
Chief a bond in the sum of Two
Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00), the
surety upon which shall be some re-
cognized and qualified surety company,
doing business and authorized to do
business in the State of Ohio, condi-
tioned according to law, and each of
said officers shall hold their said of-
fice during good behavior, unless dis-
abled or disqualified or removed for
cause in accordance with the provi-
sions of the law.

The Chief of the Fire Department
and the Captains shall receive the
compensation provided for in Section
three (3) of this ordinance, and the
Assistant Chief shall continue to re-
ceive the compensation to which he
is entitled and which he has been re-
ceiving as a regular fireman in ac-
cordance with the provisions of Sec-
tion three (3) hereof, and for his service
as such Assistant Chief he shall re-
ceive an additional compensation of
Sixty Dollars (\$60.00) per year, pay-
able in monthly installments of Five
Dollars (\$5.00) each, at the regular
monthly pay day.

Sec. 3. The members of the Fire De-
partment, other than the officers above
mentioned shall consist of ten
men not more than fifteen men, to be
known as firemen and engineers, the
same as the Fire Department is at the
present time constituted.

The number of men of the Fire De-
partment, other than the officers above
designated, may be increased or di-
minished upon the recommendation of
the Board of Public Safety, prior to
the annual levy of taxes for municipal
purposes in any year, provided that
the City Council shall by resolution
adopt such recommendation and pro-
vide for such increase, in case of such
increase or in case of a vacancy in
the membership of the Department,
the same shall be filled according to
the provisions of the law. The com-
pensation to be paid to the officers
and members of the Fire Department
of Lima, Ohio, shall be as follows: The
Chief of the Fire Department shall re-
ceive a salary of One Thousand Dol-
lars (\$1,000.00) per year; the Captains
of the Fire Department shall, during
the first year after this ordinance goes
into effect, receive for their service a
salary of Sixty-nine Dollars (\$69.00)
per month; for the second year's ser-
vice thereafter, a salary of Seventy
Dollars (\$70.00) per month; for the
third year's service thereafter, a sal-
ary of Seventy-one Dollars (\$71.00)
per month; and for the fourth year's
service and thereafter, a salary of
Seventy-two Dollars (\$72.00) per
month; and for the first year's ser-
vice after this ordinance goes into ef-
fect, the firemen who are now ser-

ving on the Fire Department shall re-
ceive a salary of Sixty-seven Dollars
(\$67.00) per month; for the second
year's service thereafter, a salary of
Sixty-eight Dollars (\$68.00) per
month; for the third year's service
thereafter, a salary of Sixty-nine Dol-
lars (\$69.00) per month; and for the
fourth year's service and thereafter, a
salary of Seventy Dollars (\$70.00) per
month, which shall be received in full
compensation for all service rendered;
and all members of the Fire Depart-
ment, except the extras which may be
provided for by the City Council or
the Board of Public Safety, shall give
their exclusive time to the City in the
performance of their duties as mem-
bers of said Fire Department. When
appointments shall hereafter be made
of any new members of the Fire De-
partment, their compensation for the
first year of their service shall be
Sixty Dollars (\$60.00) per month,
for the first year of their service
thereafter, their salary shall be Sixty-
seven Dollars (\$67.00) per month; for
the second year of their service
thereafter, their salary shall be Sixty-
eight Dollars (\$68.00) per month; for
the third year of their service there-
after, their salary shall be Sixty-nine
Dollars (\$69.00) per month, and for
the fourth year and thereafter, their
salary shall be Seventy Dollars (\$70.00)
per month. The Chief, Assistant
Chief, the Captains, Firemen, Extras
and Substitutes shall be subject to
and abide by all the rules and regu-
lations which may be from time to
time prescribed, by the Board of Pub-
lic Safety or the Chief of the Fire De-
partment.

The Chief of the Fire Department
shall be present at all fires and in-
vestigate the cause thereof and the loss-
es and damage and keep a record of
the same, and he shall make report
of the same to the Board of Public
Safety and he shall make a complete
and detailed report of the business of
the Department and the cost of main-
taining the same, the expense there-
of and the general condition of the
same, to the Board of Public Safety
at any time such report may be re-
quired of him by them.

Sec. 4. Immediately after

THE MOULDERS' STRIKE ENDS.

Men Return to Work Under Premium System and New Wage Schedule.

An Advance in the Minimum Wages for Set Day's Work and a Good Premium Schedule Agreed Upon by the Management and Employees.

The strike of the moulders and core makers, employed at the shops of the Lima Locomotive and Machine Co., which a few days ago, threatened to assume serious proportions, has been settled and this morning, the men resumed their places, having reached a satisfactory agreement with the management as to wages and the manner in which their work shall be done. The premium system which has proved a happy medium between the per diem system, and the ever disturbing piece-work system, has been adopted as a solution of the differences between the company and the men in this instance. The company has granted an increase of 15 cents per day in the wages to be paid the moulders as the minimum rate for a set day's work, the minimum being advanced from \$2.50 to \$2.75 per day. Each man will be required to do a certain amount of work, specified piece work, to constitute his day and then for all work that he does in addition to the specified amount he will receive additional pay, or a premium, allowed at the same ratio as the set day's work. The company reserves the right to, at any time, without interference on the part of the union, discharge any man who does not perform the day's work specified to earn the minimum per diem wages of \$2.75. The men state that, under the present schedule, they can earn more than the flat per diem rate of \$2.75. General Manager A. L. White, has gone to New York, and consequently could not be interviewed today, concerning his views on the settlement of the strike.

TO GUARD AGAINST A WATER FAMINE.

Board of Public Safety Orders the Fire Department to Use Steamers and Cisterns Wherever Practicable.

On account of the continued dry season, and the danger of a water famine the board of public safety has issued an order requiring the fire department to use the fire steamers and water from the street cisterns wherever and whenever such is possible in case of fire. The old steamer will be used for all fires within the district bounded by the P. Ft. W. and C. R. R. on the north, the C. H. and D. on the east, McDowell street on the west and Circular street on the south, and also will respond to calls from boxes 21, 24, 23 and 35, situated outside of the district defined above. In case of fires occurring outside the districts described above, the hose and chemical wagons will respond, but no fire pressure will be given from the water works station unless signalled for by the chief who will give five taps on the alarm bells. Six taps calls the steamer to any part of the city.

SUCCESS
Attends the Efforts of the Ladies
Of the Auxiliary to the Conductors' Order.
Big Crowd Leaves on the Cedar Point Excursion, Given Under the Auspices of the Auxiliary Lodge.

The excursion over the L. E. & W. to Sandusky and Cedar Point given today under the auspices of the Ladies Auxiliary to the O. R. C. was a great success. A long train of eight coaches, conveying over three hundred and fifty people left here this morning at 7 o'clock, reaching the lake about 11. The excursionists will return home this evening about 9 o'clock.

Although the Pennsylvania system considers the American locomotive the best in the world, they have been induced to test the high-class French De Glehn engine. It will be put on exhibition at the world's fair, after which it will be placed on the road for regular runs, when it will be carefully tested to determine the uniformity of draw-bar pull and the capacity for maintaining immense traction power at high speed. Tests will also be made to determine the uniformity in rail pressure due to the balanced engine as well as its economy in coal and water consumption.

Lima to Cleveland.
The new route of the Erie between Lima and Cleveland may not be built after all. Though this may be true the Erie will still place Cleveland on the main line and enter that city from Galion. The Goulds want to bring the Wabash & Wheeling and Lake Erie into Cleveland from Wellington, a point on the Big Four. This would put the Wabash into competition with the Big Four to St. Louis. The Big Four is in position to prevent neither road coming in. It is said that, actuated by the spirit of the economy, the Big Four is ready to make a proposition to the Erie that

the latter use the former's tracks from Galion to Cleveland. What will be done with the Wabash has not been decided.—Columbus Dispatch.

TICKER
Belonging to Wm. Robinson Is Missing.

On complaint made by Wm Robinson, a north Main street saloon keeper, about 1:30 o'clock this morning, a young man giving his name as Bert Flower, was arrested by officers Grant and Sullivan. Robinson had lost his watch and he signed an affidavit charging Flower with picking his pocket. The latter protested his innocence and no trace of the watch was found. He has not yet been arraigned in mayor's court.

FORMER
Allen County Pioneer Dies at Canesville, Mo.

Word has been received in this city announcing the death of Michael Murry, a former Allen county pioneer, at his late home in Canesville, Mo. The remains will arrive in this city over the Erie tomorrow afternoon and will be taken to the home of the deceased's daughter, Mrs. F. H. Winegardner, at 132 south Park avenue. Funeral will be held from Union chapel, Friday at two o'clock.

SUFFERED GREAT AGONY.

Columbus O. Aug. 19.—Pinned down by tons of iron, which served one of his legs and mangled the other James Whalen a Pan Handle brakeman, heavily endured untold agony for two hours, Wednesday morning, before he could be released. He is badly hurt. Whalen was engaged in switching in the local yards, when the accident occurred. Shortly after 3 o'clock, a couple of cars loaded with boiler iron in sheets, were being switched into a siding. They collided with cars already on the switch, and he was caught between the iron and the end of a car.

LONG BOB
Pitches the Record Breaking Game of the Year.
New York Shut Out Without a Run Or a Hit in Yesterday's Contest—Other Results.

Long Bob Ewing, the Auglaize county boy, pitched the record breaking game of the year at New York, yesterday, shutting out the Giants without a hit or a run. Referring to his work, the Enquirer correspondent today says:

"Long Bob Ewing, fed on raw meat and clams for a week, was taken out of his cage and sent against the Giants in the Polo grounds finale this afternoon, and he pitched the New Yorkers to runless as well as hitless defeat. Old Wapakoneta fired the leather down the alley so fast that the haze in its wake looked like the smoke in a shooting gallery. Through seven innings not a semblance of a safety had been made off the Red twirler. From a wildly excited slab duel the contest had been transformed into a runaway, with the Reds doing the traveling. Joe McGinnity, the iron man, came back to repair the fortune Hahn had helped to shatter in the earliest engagement, but after 11 hits and 5 runs had been stacked against him, he heard the bugle blow for retreat, and Jack Cronin went to the firing line to lead the forlorn hope in the closing moments of a lost battle."

Yesterday's Results.
Cincinnati 7, New York 0.
Pittsburg 3, Boston 0.
St. Louis 8, Brooklyn 6.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	56	35	.653
New York	61	40	.604
Chicago	61	41	.598
Cincinnati	54	46	.540
Brooklyn	49	51	.490
Boston	41	55	.427
St. Louis	36	70	.340
Philadelphia	31	61	.337

Games Today.
Cincinnati at Boston.
Chicago at Brooklyn.
Pittsburg at New York.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.

Best bill of the season at McBeth Park, this week 63-6t.

CUPID
Closed His Net About a Lima Couple.

Mr. Wm. Hart and Mrs. Mable Anderson Married in Franklin, Pa., Yesterday.

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Mr. William Thorndike Hart, the capable and popular manager of the cloak department for Carroll & Cooney, and Mrs. Mabel Higbee Anderson, a social favorite, and estimable lady of this city, at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. James T. Higbee, in Franklin, Pa., the 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart are now in New York city, where they will remain until next week. Mr. Hart has built a handsome home, and furnished it on west Elm street, into which he and his bride will move immediately on their return from the east, and where they will be the recipients of many congratulations.

Matinee at McBeth park tomorrow at 3 p. m. Children under 12, free.

Best bill of the season at McBeth Park, this week 63-6t.

INFANT
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Clevenger Is Dead.

Gwendolyn Frances Clevenger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Clevenger, of 526 south Main street, died about 6 o'clock last evening, death resulting from an attack of spinal meningitis, that was followed by cholera infantum. The child was aged five months and two days and had been ill ten weeks.

Funeral services will be held at the residence at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Rev. Father Rupert, of St. Johns church, will officiate and interment will be made in Gethsemani cemetery.

NOTICE.

All painters, paperhangers and decorators are invited to meet with local lodge, No. 1018, of Lima in an open meeting at their hall, Thursday, Aug. 20, at 7:30 p. m.

43t C. T. ANDREWS, Act Secy.

Best bill of the season at McBeth Park, this week 63-6t.

BONDS
Need Not Be Held Longer
But the Board

Hasn't Anything to Sell at Present.

Supreme Court Is the Last Resort to Settle the Legal Controversy

But There May Be an Arrangement Yet Which Would Make It Necessary to Prolong the Argument.

There is a situation in regard to the high school controversy which may develop into something interesting before the meeting of the board of education next Monday evening, but the members on either side are talking only among themselves and don't propose to have the public pick the proposition to pieces until it is presented and debated in regular form.

The lid was taken off after the Times-Democrat published the finding of the circuit court, on the question of a temporary injunction. The division of sentiment has been strongly marked since the subject was thoroughly discussed, and now that the common pleas and circuit courts have held that what the majority of the board did was right, it is up to the supreme court either to concur in, or reverse the decision.

It has been stated that the bonds can now be sold, as there have been propositions from dealers in such transactions who are satisfied, and do not fear the outcome. The situation is one which is being freely discussed among the members of the board, and there is sure to be a thorough sifting of the problem before the meeting on Monday evening. The question of who is right and who is wrong, is still up to the courts, however, and the supreme body of the state is certain to be called upon to act before the petitioners are willing to give up the legal battle for what they declare are their rights in the premises.

It seems to be the desire of all of the members of the board to have the controversy settled to the satisfaction of all, and the points raised in the long-drawn-out controversy may go to the supreme court for a final decision without any attempt to dispose of the bonds in the meantime.

HAIR TELLS CHARACTER.
Color of Hair Said to Indicate a Person's Temperament.

Many people believe that blonde, or light hair denotes affection and dark hair constancy. A person without hair is not devoid of character, far from it. The disposition of the average baldheaded man is to show such solicitude for the welfare of others, that he neglects himself. A germ causes baldness. Prof. Sabouraud, of Paris, France, inoculated a rabbit with dandruff germs, causing it to become totally bald in five weeks' time. To rid the scalp of these dangerous germs, it is necessary to apply Newbro's Herpicide.

"Destroy the cause—you remove the effect."
Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old post-office corner. Send 10 cents in stamps for sample to the Herpicide Co., of Detroit, Mich.

HE IS MUCH MISSED.

Berlin, Aug. 19.—Countess Von Waldersee (formerly Miss Lee of New York) sails for the United States tomorrow on the Hamburg American line steamer Moltke. The official duties of Field Marshall Count Von Waldersee and his engagements prevent him from visiting America with his wife, as he had long expected to do. He has never been in America.

GOT BROAD INJUNCTION.

Buffalo, N. Y. Aug. 19.—The Buffalo Union Furnace Company, procured an injunction restraining the National Association of Blast Furnace Workers and Smelters of America, Local No. 2, members of which are on strike, from interfering with employees of the company. The injunction order is very broad in its terms, and was drawn to cover every phase of the situation evolving at the works, as the outcome of this strike.

Matinee at McBeth park tomorrow at 3 p. m. Children under 12, free.

ENLISTED
Men in the Ohio National Guard Service
Will Receive One Dollar Per Day for the Time Spent in Camp—Gen. Gyger Talks.

A dispatch from Columbus says: "Adjutant General Gyger, today denounced the report that the enlisted men in camp at Newark would receive but 43 cents per day as false and malicious, and the author of the story as one who knew absolutely nothing about his subject. The amount mentioned is the rate paid the regular soldiers and it gained circulation through the fact that the government will pay the mounted officers the regular government salary. He said that the soldiers at Camp McKinley would receive the regular salary of \$1 for every day in camp, and that the 43 cent story was a myth. He also stated that the Dick bill which provides that the government should pay the mounted officers, will be of considerable benefit to the state as these men receive the largest salaries and the state is also relieved of the tiresome duty of securing mounts. The pay of \$1 per day will include all enlisted men, other than the commissioned officers not mounted, who will also be paid by the state at the usual state rate."

Matinee at McBeth park tomorrow at 3 p. m. Children under 12, free.

THE IDLER.

The last Assembly club dance, of the season at McBeth's park, will take place Monday evening, of next week. There had been some talk of a postponement, but the above date is authorized by those who were interested in the arrangements.

Mr. Kelly, who is believed to be working in the interest of Lima oil prospectors, has leased land between the leases of Mr. Cobb on the northwest of this place and Golley & Finley on the northeast. The land thus taken lies almost directly north of town. Samuel Finch, who has much success with opening up new fields, has leased many hundreds of acres south of town and will make a thorough test of the territory. Mr. Finch will operate mainly in the new developments in the southwestern part of the county.—Toledo Blade Columbus Grove correspondent.

A horse attached to a delivery wagon fell in the street on St. Johns avenue this morning, and report was made that the wagon was taken away and the horse abandoned. The owner of the animal later got assistance and took the horse to a veterinary surgeon for treatment.

Secretary Bowersock, of the Fair Board, has received word that several exhibits of sheep and other stock will be brought to Lima to be placed on exhibition at the agricultural meeting to be held during the week beginning August 15th.

SENATOR ON TRIAL FOR SOLICITING BRIBE.

Jefferson City, Mo. Aug. 19.—The trial of State Senator Wm. P. Sullivan, under indictment on the charge of soliciting a bribe of \$4,500 from a representative of Baking Powder interests, for three votes in favor of a bill to repeal the anti-alum law was begun here today.

Hear Paddywhiski at McBeth's this week.

SUMMER AND WINTER.

Berlin, Aug. 19.—The Hamburg-American line has contracted with the shipbuilding firm of Blohm and Voos, of Hamburg, for the construction of a large steamer to be used for northern excursions in summer, and for oriental trips during the winter months. She is designed to accommodate upward of a thousand passengers.

NO MORE DANGER FEARED.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 19.—The Kansas river here and west is falling rapidly and no further fear of damage is felt. Every effort is being made to replace the two bridges washed out during the high water. Boats must be used for several weeks, however, to transfer persons between the two cities.

Matinee at McBeth park tomorrow at 3 p. m. Children under 12, free.

Do not miss the opportunity to hear Miss Vera Watson at the Ladies' Congregation social to be held on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bowers, 312 west North street. Admission 15 cents.

FELDMANN & CO.
UNDERMUSLINS
UNDERPRICED.

The active Mustin Underwear selling is convincing proof that the great values our department offers are fully appreciated. It's the kind of Underwear that is well made and well finished, even though the price is low.

Great values in Corset Covers,
at 25c, 30c, 50c, 75c and 98c.
Great values in Gowns,
at 50c, 60c, 98c and \$1.19.
Great values in Skirts,
at 50c, 98c, \$1.59 and \$1.98.
Great values in Drawers,
at 25c, 30c, 50c and 98c.

Very Special Children's Gowns, All Sizes, 39c.

Feldmann & Co.
206-211 N. Main Street.

JUST RECEIVED New Wrist Bags and Automobile Bags.
Nobby Goods at 25c, 50c, 60c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.39, and up to \$2.75. Special Novelties among them.

FAUROT OPERA HOUSE
FRIDAY, AUG. 21.

WEBER & FIELDS'
\$25,000 Production,

HOITY TOITY,

The most gorgeously mounted extravaganza Direct from Weber & Field's own New York Theatre after one solid year on Broadway.

50 People—Mostly Girls
Prices—\$1.50; \$1, 75c, 50c and 25c.
Seat sale opens Thursday, 9 a. m.

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THE KIND THAT STING.

We buy direct from the importers the finest grade of unground Spices brought to this country. We have these ground for us, and allow no adulterations to be added.

We guarantee every variety to be absolutely pure and the best quality that we know how to produce. The only "trouble" from our point of view, with our Spices, is, that they last too long. They are so strong that when you first begin to use them you will over-season your food if you have been in the habit of using the ordinary cheap "deadwood" Spices. Don't be misled; there are no prices lower than ours on good goods.

H. F. Vortkamp,

Der einzige deutsche Apotheker in Lima.
Northeast Corner Main and North Streets, Lima, Ohio

WILL MAKE MUSIC.
Trenton, N. J., Aug. 19.—The Walter Piano and Pianola Company, capital \$10,000,000 of which \$3,500,000 is preferred stock was incorporated here today. The preferred stock is to draw seven per cent cumulative dividends. The object of the company is the manufacture of pianos, organs, pianolas and other musical instruments. Incorporators, Harry B. Tremaine, Chas. M. Tremaine, Edward R. Perkins, Westfield, N. J., and Edward S. Votey, Summit, N. J.